

Wireless E911 Guide

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Introduction / Revision History

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1. Overview of E911

1.1 Definition of E911

"911" has been designated in the United States as the number to be used by the public to summon emergency aid or to report a crime, fire or accident. Its main purpose is to make it easier for people in time of emotional stress to contact the proper emergency agency. An important advantage of 911 emergency service is improved (reduced) response time.

The original 911 service, known as Basic 911 (B911), routes a call to one centralized answering location. The attendant at the answering location obtains the pertinent information that identifies the call and the caller's need. The attendant then determines the appropriate agency and dials the number to transfer the caller to that agency.

Enhanced 911 service, or E911, is a full featured electronic system that provides three (3) major enhancements to Basic 911 service:

1.1.1 Selective Routing

Electronically routes 911 emergency calls to the proper Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) based on the Emergency Service Number (ESN) code that has been assigned to the cell site address or the longitude/latitude of the caller's location. This may be accomplished by assigning "pseudo-ANI" telephone numbers to each face of each antenna in order to designate a fixed location for the serving area. Some wireless solutions allow the assignment of a pseudo-ANI telephone number to a specific PSAP rather than an antenna face. An ESN is assigned to the "pseudo-ANI" telephone numbers during database record processing and is assigned from the Master Street Address Guide (MSAG) based on the address. Some solutions may dynamically assign the ESN based upon the longitude/latitude of the caller's location. Wireless Carriers must work with the local governmental agencies and agree on call routing, ESN assignments, and MSAG valid addresses. This process is described later in this document. Wireless Carriers should identify selective routing capabilities for premises based ALI systems and make arrangements to deliver wireless calls directly to the PSAP in those cases where selective routing is not utilized. See Premises Based ALI Systems below.

1.1.2 Automatic Number Identification (ANI)

Provides the PSAP with the 7-digit pseudo-ANI telephone number representing the antenna face which received the wireless 9-1-1 call or the pseudo-ANI PSAP routing number, depending on the wireless solution implemented. Interfaces utilizing Feature Group D signaling between the E911 selective routing tandem and the PSAP may be capable of sending 10-digit ANI or 10-digit ANI and 10-digit call back number to the PSAP. Pseudo-ANI numbers must be assigned from the wireless carrier's number range and must be geographically valid for the E911 selective routing tandem service area.

1.1.3 Automatic Location Identification (ALI)

Provides the PSAP with cell site location information associated with the pseudo-ANI. Phase 1 compliance also requires ALI to contain the wireless subscribers call back number. This may be accomplished by the

wireless carrier providing a real-time update to the ALI databases during 9-1-1 call processing. Phase 2 requires both of the data elements provided in Phase 1 plus the longitude and latitude of the caller's location when they dialed 9-1-1. BellSouth supports E2 connectivity between MPCs and the ALI database hosts as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference TR73610, Issue 2. BellSouth will deliver the lat / long data to the PSAP in the ALI response message as described in BellSouth Technical Reference TR73528, Issue 6. Wireless Carriers must ensure dynamically updated records will comply with TR73528 when delivered to the PSAP. These Technical References may be found on the following web site:

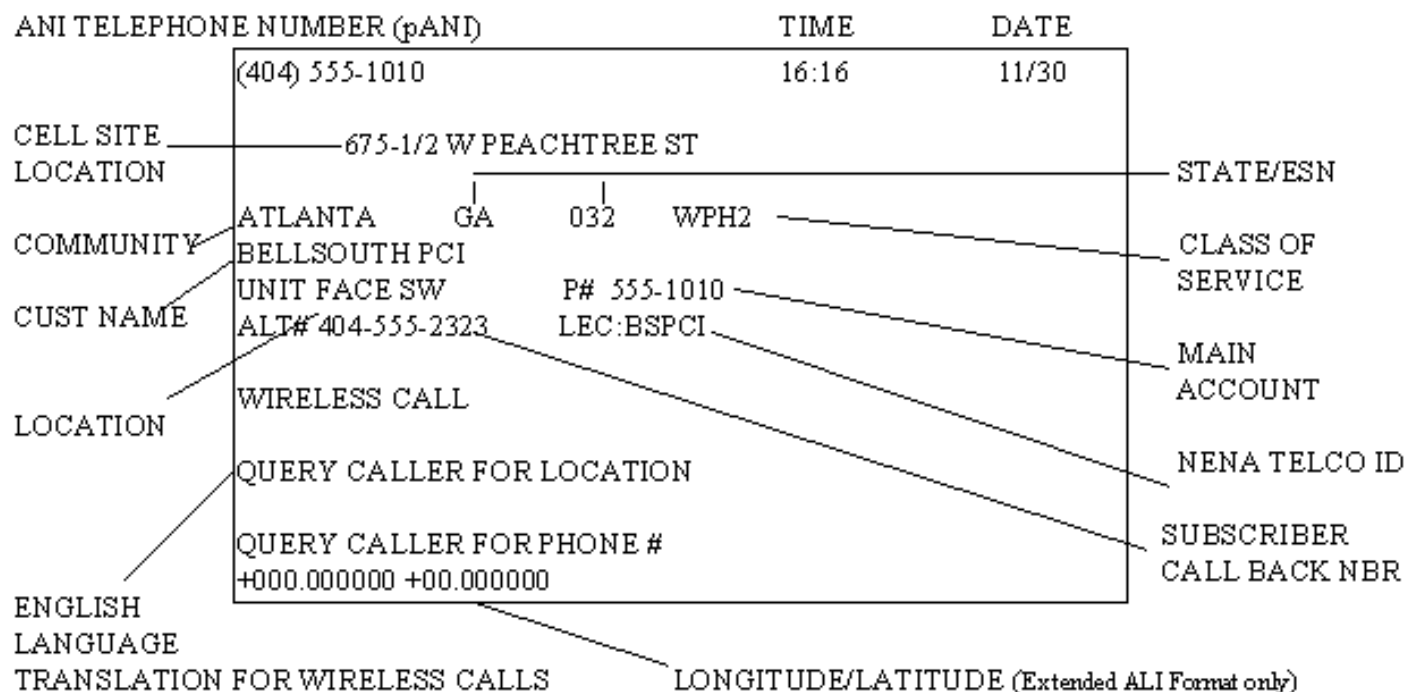
Note: To receive the maximum benefit of E911, the initial ALI database record must be assigned an MSAG valid address even if the tower is located in a rural area. MSAG valid addresses are obtained from the addressing authority in the E911 area where the cell site is located.

1.1.4 Premises Based ALI Systems

Premises based ALI systems may have a separate database, software, and hardware located on the E911 Customer premises. Wireless Carriers must identify all premises based systems in their service areas and comply with any special data or interface requirements. Carriers should meet with PSAPs to determine if selective routing or direct trunking is used to deliver 911 calls. If calls are not selectively routed to premises based ALI systems, the carrier may need to deliver wireless 911 calls to the PSAP administrative lines or use other arrangements as negotiated with the PSAP. This guide does not address issues related to premises based ALI systems.

1.2 PSAP Display

The PSAP display for the ANI and ALI has been configured so that the PSAP attendant can immediately recognize from the English Language Translations (ELT) that the call is being made from a wireless device. The ALI response may contain the cell site sector location, subscriber call back number, and lat/long when available. An example of a typical PSAP display is shown. This screen/display will vary based on which PSAP equipment is chosen by the E911 Customer.



1.3 Databases Required to Support E911

Three (3) data files (or databases) are required to provide the data for display at the PSAP:

- Master Street Address Guide (MSAG)
- Telephone Number (TN) Database
- E911 Tandem/Network Information (TN/ESN)

1.4 Master Street Address Guide (MSAG)

The MSAG contains all street information in the full featured E911 service area. The Emergency Service Numbers (ESNs) are assigned to the streets for routing 911 calls to the proper PSAP. As data records for the pseudo-ANI telephone numbers are processed from the wireless carriers, the address information on the data record is validated against the MSAG. *Address information on the data records must exactly match the MSAG information or the data records will be considered an error and returned to the wireless carrier for correction.* Data records are not posted to the database until they pass validation.

1.5 Telephone Number (TN) Database

The TN database contains all of the wireline subscriber records and wireless pseudo-ANI records for all carriers in the E911 service area. This information includes the telephone number, name of the wireline subscriber, address, location, class and type of service. For the wireless carrier, it includes the pseudo-ANI

telephone number which has been assigned by the carrier, the carrier name, and the *MSAG valid* address of the cell site sector location. A full description of the data fields in the TN database may be found in TN Database Updates.

The TN database is updated by the wireless carrier on an ongoing basis as new pseudo-ANI numbers are assigned or when existing information changes. This includes changes in antenna face coverage area when it impacts routing of 911 calls to the appropriate PSAP. *The data record which is sent by the wireless carrier is validated against the MSAG for an exact address match* and is assigned the appropriate ESN which is loaded into the E911 host database and the E911 tandem routing database. Details for providing TN data to the E911 host is explained later in this document. Some wireless solutions will dynamically update the cell site location, call back number, longitude, and latitude during 911 call processing. Wireless carriers are still required to provide "static" pseudo-ANI data records to the E911 host with MSAG valid addresses. These "static" records will be dynamically updated during 911 call processing. The cell site location information provided during the dynamic updates are not validated against the MSAG, but the original "static" record provided in the SOIR process will be validated and *must contain MSAG valid information*.

Wireless Carriers must provide valid data records for inclusion in the TN database prior to testing or activating service. If data records are not posted to the TN database, the PSAP will receive a "NO RECORD FOUND" display when subscribers dial 911 which may delay getting them the emergency services they need.

1.6 E911 Tandem / Network Information

Interconnection arrangements to the E911 tandem are negotiated with the wireless carrier's BST Interconnection Services Account Representative. The wireless carrier must provide a minimum of two (2) Type 2C redundant trunks to the E911 tandem office(s) that will serve the Mobile Switching Center (MSC). Additional facilities may be required depending on the technical solution used to dynamically pass the wireless call back number and longitude/latitude to the ALI database. Data circuits must exist between MPCs and the ALI database hosts for the E2 interface required for Phase 2.

Determining the proper PSAP to route wireless 911 calls must be negotiated between the wireless carrier and the E911 Coordinators in the serving areas. This must also include the proper PSAP to receive the wireless 911 call in the event of an ANI (pANI) failure from the MSC. All 911 calls will default route to the negotiated PSAP when an ANI (pANI) failure occurs. E911 Coordinators must agree on the PSAP to receive these calls. Once agreement has been reached with the E911 Coordinators, the wireless carrier will notify the BST Interconnect Account Representative of the PSAP location for default routing. This will allow for BST to establish the necessary translations in the E911 tandem office. The BST Interconnect Account Representative may assist the wireless carrier in identifying which E911 tandem office should be used to route calls to a specific PSAP.

1.7 Glossary of Terms

Table B Glossary of Terms

Term	Definition
ACAC	Access Carrier Advocacy Center
Address Verification Request (AVR)	A form issued by each telco to refer and resolve address discrepancies with the E911 Customer.
ALEC	Alternative Local Exchange Carrier
Alternate Routing	A standard feature provided to allow E911 calls to be routed to a designated alternate location if : 1. all E911 trunks to the primary PSAP are busy OR 2. the primary PSAP closes down for a period. (i.e. night service)
Automatic Location Identification (ALI)	A feature by which the address associated with the telephone number (ANI or pANI) is forwarded to the PSAP for display.
Automatic Number Identification (ANI)	The telephone number assigned by the wireless carrier to the cell face or PSAP. Also known as Pseudo-ANI and Emergency Service Routing Digits (ESRD). Note: The pseudo-ANI number MUST be assigned from the wireless carrier number pool and be geographically correct for the serving area.
BST	BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Call Back Number	Telephone number PSAP will use to dial the 911 caller in the event the call is disconnected. Also known as wireless Mobile Directory Number (MDN), Wireless Subscriber ANI (WS-ANI) and Calling Party Number (CPN).
Call Through Testing	The process of testing the network, equipment and database associated with an E911 system prior to the final cutover.
CMRS	Commercial Mobile Radio Service
CSU	Channel Service Unit
DSU	Data Service Unit
E2 Interface	The TIA / EIA / J-STD-036 E2 interface utilized to provide phase 2 location information to the ALI database from the MPC. Refer to BellSouth TR73610, Issue 2.
E911 Customer	A governmental agency responsible for providing public safety and purchasing 911 service.

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Table B Glossary of Terms (continued)

Term	Definition
E911 Tandem Central Office Switch	The central office designated for a geographical area to receive end office E911 calls and route to the appropriate PSAP.
Emergency Service Number (ESN)	A number associated with the geographical area served by the same fire, police and ambulance districts.
Emergency Service Routing Digits (ESRD)	See ANI or pANI
End Office	The central office switch receiving E911 calls from subscribers. For wireless, this would be the MSC.
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FOC	Function of Change
GMLC	(see MPC)
ICO	Independent Telephone Company
Integrated Services Digital Network User Part (ISUP)	A message protocol to support call set up and release for interoffice voice call connections over SS7 signaling.
Intrado	A vendor designated by BST to handle E911 data maintenance (formerly SCC)
LOC	Location
Master Street Address Guide (MSAG)	All street data, including street names, address ranges and ESNs used to validate incoming telephone number data for provisioning of selective routing.
Mobile Position Center (MPC)	The network entity that provides phase 2 location information to the ALI database over an E2 interface. For the purposes of this document, MPC and GMLC are considered equivalent although a GMLC is unique to the GSM environment.
Mobile Switching Center (MSC)	Wireless equivalent of an End Office, which provides switching functions from wireless calls.
National Emergency Number Association (NENA)	A professional association of 9-1-1 emergency number entities responsible for the planning, implementation, management and administration of national emergency number issues.
NPA	The area code of the telephone number.
NRF	No Record Found
NXX	The first three(3) digits of a telephone number following the NPA.

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Table B Glossary of Terms (continued)

Term	Definition
Pseudo-ANI (pANI)	The telephone number assigned by the wireless carrier to designate a specific cell antenna face or PSAP. Also see Automatic Number Identification (ANI).
Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP)	The answering location for 911 calls.
RCF	Remote Call Forwarding
SALI	Stand Alone Automatic Location Identification
SCC Communications	A vendor designated by BST to handle E911 data maintenance (now Intrado)
Selective Routing (SR)	A standard feature that routes an E911 call from the E911 tandem to the designated PSAP based upon the address and assigned ESN of the pseudo-ANI telephone number record.
Service Order Interface Record (SOIR)	A formatted data record sent to the E911 host computer system by the wireless carrier. (see TSS)
Signaling System 7 (SS7)/Common Channel Signaling 7 (CCS7)	An out-of-band signaling system used to provide basic routing information, call set up and other call termination functions. Signaling is removed from the voice channel and put on a separate data network.
Subscriber	Person or end user making a 911 call.
System ID	A two(2) character code used to identify a tandem. (Assigned by BST)
Tandem Routing	An arrangement for connecting E911 calls to the correct PSAP based on the ESN associated to the pseudo-ANI telephone number service address. (see Selective Routing)
Telco (Telephone Company)	A term used interchangeable throughout this document to depict a Bell Operating Co., an Independent Company, an Alternative Local Exchange Carrier (ALEC) or a Wireless service provider.
TN	Telephone Number
Transaction Servicing System (TSS)	The BellSouth E911 vendor's computer system that performs database processing.
WSANI	Wireless Subscribers ANI (see ANI or pANI)

Note: Additional wireless and technical information may be found on the NENA web site at <http://nena9-1-1.org>: Click here to access website.

1.8 Database Escalation Procedures

The following procedures have been established for Wireless Carrier escalation of database related issues to BellSouth / Intrado: (Examples of these issues are, but not limited to: MSAG problems, NPA / NXX updates, etc.)

The initial trouble / problem referral made by the Wireless Carrier should go to the Intrado NDSC Data Analyst. The escalation process will normally begin after a referral is made to the NDSC with unsatisfactory or no resolution.

1.8.1 Access To NDSC Analysts

DIAL 1-888-584-3810, AT THE PROMPT, ENTER THE APPROPRIATE EXTENSION NUMBER.

1.8.2 Level One Escalation: Intrado

Data Opns SUPERVISOR (Kelley Thomson) extension 6269

1.8.3 Level Two Escalation: Intrado

Data Opns MANAGER (Mike Wallace) extension 6270
1-888-584-3810

1.8.4 Level Three Escalation: Bellsouth

BellSouth Wireless E911 Implementation Manager: (205) 321-4785

If the problem has not been resolved by Intrado or the problem has not been resolved to the customer's satisfaction, the BellSouth Wireless E911 Implementation Manager should be contacted:

1. The BellSouth Wireless E911 Implementation Manager should be notified of the problem.
2. The BellSouth Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will involve the BellSouth Address/911 Staff Support organization as required. All 911 / addressing issues should be referred by the Wireless E911 Implementation Manager to the Address / 911 Staff.
3. The Address / 911 Staff Support group will investigate and resolve or escalate up to the highest level necessary within BellSouth and / or Intrado. When the problem is resolved, A / 911 Staff Support will advise the Wireless E911 Implementation Manager who will notify the customer of the resolution.

2. Coordination of Wireless Interconnection

2.1 Overview

This section provides the Wireless Carrier with the steps necessary to interconnect with the BellSouth (BST) E911 network.

The FCC Wireless Phase 1 Order requires the Wireless Carrier to provide both the cell site sector location information and the wireless subscribers call - back number for wireless 911 calls. Phase 2 requires the additional data fields longitude and latitude be provided to represent the location of the caller when they dialed 911. Cell site sector location information is provided in "static" database records as described in TN Database Updates. The subscriber's call - back number, longitude, and latitude must be provided real - time during 911 call processing. Various technical solutions may be chosen by the Wireless Carrier to provide the required data to the ALI database. Wireless Carriers must work with Intrado to ensure the chosen solution is compatible with the BST ALI database interfaces. Some solutions allow the "static" database records to be assigned on a PSAP basis with the cell site sector location information, call - back number, and the longitude / latitude being provided real-time during 911 call processing.

Wireless Carriers must order Type 2C trunks for transmission of the voice and pseudo-ANI (pANI) numbers to the E911 tandem. Some solutions may require SS7 / ISUP trunking between the wireless MSC and the E911 tandem. If SS7 connectivity will be used, refer to Appendix A of this guide. In addition to these trunks, Wireless Carriers may be required to order two(2) digital data circuits with secondary channel to the BST Automatic Location Identification (ALI) computers. These circuits are necessary to provide Phase 1 real-time updates to the ALI database for storing the wireless subscribers ten digit call-back number and for some solutions, cell site sector location information. Two redundant ALI computers work as a mated pair, therefore a digital data circuit is required to each of the two ALI computers. The need for digital data circuits depends on the technical solution chosen. Steps to determine if there is a need, and how to order these circuits, are described in this section.

Wireless Carriers must also provide E2 connectivity between the MPCs and the ALI database hosts allowing Phase 2 location information to be populated in the ALI databases.

Interconnection to the BST E911 network involves the effort of various BST departments. The BST Wireless Account Team and Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will be the coordinators between the Wireless Carrier and the various BST departments to assist with steps necessary for interconnection.

2.2 Coordination Process: Wireless Carrier

The Wireless Carrier will notify the BST Wireless Account team and provide general information concerning the request to interconnect to BST's E911 network. This information should include the states, counties, and / or parishes that are involved in the wireless coverage area, the method of interconnection to the BST network, and the technical solution chosen to provide the wireless subscribers call - back number and longitude / latitude to the ALI database, and E2 interface information.

Wireless Carriers must meet with each of the E911 Customers in the wireless coverage area to discuss cell site locations, valid addresses and formats for static database records, ESN assignments, identification

of the appropriate E911 tandem, 911 call routing, default routing for ANI failures, and assignment of geographically valid pANI numbers from the wireless carrier's number range. The E911 customers must agree on which PSAP will accept 911 calls from the various cell sites including when ANI failures occur. Wireless Carriers should also determine if the E911 Customers wish to segregate wireless 911 calls from wireline 911 calls by implementing separate trunk groups to the PSAP. All premises based E911 databases should be identified as well as any special procedures necessary to update those databases.

Carriers must also work directly with Intrado to include the Carrier's pANI numbers in the appropriate Security Tables and to identify the appropriate E2 interface to invoke for Phase 2.

A Service Inquiry must be initiated by the Wireless Carrier through the BST Account team for the Type 2C trunk connections and/or SS7 /ISUP trunks to the E911 tandems. If SS7 connectivity will be used, refer to Appendix A of this guide. The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will discuss with the Wireless Carrier the process of ordering / provisioning the digital data circuits to the ALI computers, if new circuits are required.

The Wireless Carrier must contact Intrado, the BST E911 database vendor, for all database related steps necessary for the establishment and maintenance of wireless database records and interfaces to the ALI computers. Carriers must post valid records in the E911 database prior to testing or turning up service. Additional information related to database requirements is found in this guide.

Since access to E911 is a critical issue in today's environment, it is necessary for the Wireless Carrier to provide 24 X 7 contact name and telephone number information for maintenance and trouble handling / clearing.

2.3 Coordination Process: BST Wireless Account Team

The BST Wireless Account team will receive the initial request from the Wireless Carrier and initiate the BST Service Inquiry process for interconnection to the BST E911 network. The BST Account team will contact the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager to begin the internal BST coordination process.

Various BST departments will review the Service Inquiry and update with additional required information. The BST Account team will then complete form RF-1004WS and forward this form, along with a copy of the Service Request, to the BST Wireless Service Center where service orders will be input into the service order system.

A copy of the form RF-1004WS will also be distributed to the BST Implementation team and Intrado.

2.4 Coordination Process: BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager

The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will assist the Wireless Carrier with the requirements for connecting to the BST E911 network. During this process the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will determine if it is necessary for the Wireless Carrier to order digital data circuits to the BST ALI computers. The technical solution chosen by the Wireless Carrier will determine the need for these data circuits:

- If the Wireless Carrier is connecting to a DMS100 E911 tandem utilizing an existing Nortel wireless connection to the ALI computers, no additional data circuits will be required for Phase 1.
- If the Wireless Carrier provides their own wireless solution hardware in their network, the Wireless Carrier must provide the data circuits.
- If the Wireless Carrier contracts with a third party to provide the connection to the ALI computers, the data circuits should be provided by the third party.
- If new solutions are negotiated, the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will work with the Wireless Carrier and the BST team to determine the interconnection requirements and process flow.

The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will coordinate with the BST Wireless Access Carrier Advocacy Center (ACAC) the provisioning, testing, and Wireless Carrier acceptance of the Type 2C trunks to the BST E911 tandems as required. The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will also coordinate with the BST departments and Intrado, the provisioning, testing, and acceptance of new data circuits to the ALI computers if applicable.

The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will issue a Teleprocessing Request form to Intrado and the BST IT Transport Group if new data circuits are required to the ALI computers.

As required, the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will assist the Wireless Carrier through the necessary processes required to complete the interconnection to the BST E911 network.

2.5 Coordination Process: Mobile Position Center Provider

The Wireless Carrier will be required to submit written notification naming the Mobile Position Center (MPC) provider they have selected. Note that MPC and GMLC are equivalent with respect to this guide although a GMLC is unique to the GSM environment. This written notification should be submitted to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager. Any subsequent change in MPC provider also requires written notification naming the new provider selected.

2.5.1 Steps for Establishment/Change of Mobile Position Center Provider

The Wireless Carrier is required to provide written notification of their selected or modified MPC provider to the BST E911 Implementation Manager via US Mail, electronic mail, or fax:

BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager
Attn: John Storey
3535 Colonnade Parkway
Birmingham, AL 35243
Tel: 205-977-7653
Fax: 205-977-7692
Email: John.Storey@bellsouth.com

2.5.2 Initial Establishment of Mobile Position Center Provider

The first step for the Wireless Carrier in establishing their MPC provider is to contact the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager. At that time a discussion will take place to determine the method of connectivity. The Wireless Carrier will be provided a questionnaire used to direct the Wireless Carrier to the next steps required for Phase II connectivity. Once it has been determined what the needs of the Wireless Carrier are, they will be directed to the appropriate network entity that will provide location information to the ALI database. When the determination has been made, the Wireless Carrier will then be asked to provide written notification to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager as to who they have selected as their MPC provider.

If the Wireless Carrier will use their own equipment and provide their own E2 Interface to BST, the first step is to contact the BST ICS E911 Product Manager. The Wireless Carrier is required to sign the Wireless E911 Phase 2 MPC Operator Interface Agreement and to work with the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager to connect the E2 circuits to the ALI databases.

2.5.3 Change of Mobile Position Center Provider

Should the Wireless Carrier change the MPC provider that was initially selected, written notification to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager will be required. This notification may be sent via US Mail, electronic mail, or faxed to the address noted above.

2.5.4 Information Required for Phase 2 MPC/GMLC Circuits to the ALI Hosts

The following information can be used by Wireless Carriers or their MPC/GMLC providers in placing orders for the E2 Data Links which will connect their MPCs or GMLCs to BellSouth's ALI Host Computers located in the 4 Data Centers. The BellSouth ALI Host Computers in Miami, FL and Charlotte, NC serve FL, GA, NC and SC. The BellSouth ALI Host Computers in Birmingham, AL and Nashville, TN serve LA, MS, AL, TN and KY. MPCs/GMLCs must be connected to the appropriate ALI host pairs for the states served.

PLEASE NOTE - the following also contains information related to these circuit orders which must be returned to BellSouth's Wireless E911 Implementation Manager as soon as it is available. This will aid in completion of preliminary forms that must be provided in advance of the orders to the data center personnel. to insure there are no delays in connecting and extending the circuits. ***Note that there is a separate form for each of the BellSouth ALI Host Computer locations.***

You should also contact Doug McCambridge at Intrado (720-494-6271) to schedule coordinated testing of these circuits. Intrado requires at a minimum 5 days notice prior to testing. Questions/comments can be directed to John Storey at 205-977-7653 or by e-mail at John.Storey@bellsouth.com.

Detailed Circuit Information (Circuit IDs for all segments of the circuits with 24 X 7 Contact names and numbers, etc.) is required so that service technicians can communicate with each other in the event of outages or maintenance issues.

2.5.5 Forms

Birmingham DATA Center: (serving LA, MS, AL, TN, KY)

Nashville DATA Center: (serving LA, MS, AL, TN, KY)

Charlotte DATA Center: (serving FL, GA, NC, SC)

Miami DATA Center: (serving FL, GA, NC, SC)

3. Network Specifications and Ordering

3.1 Overview

This section provides the Wireless Carrier with the Network Specifications and Ordering Procedures to be followed when ordering facilities to interconnect to the BST E911 network.

Due to the complex nature and many processes involved with interconnecting to the BST E911 network, coordination between the Wireless Carrier and the various BST organizations involved will be accomplished through the Wireless Carrier's Marketing Account team and the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager.

3.2 Specifications & Ordering Process:

3.2.1 Option 1: BellSouth NORTEL Solution Carrying Phase 1 Data Only (CBN & pANI)

This solution can be used for delivery of CBN and pANI as the Wireless Carrier begins to make Phase 2 location data available via an E2 interface, as described in J-STD-036. The Wireless Carrier will be required to order a **minimum of two(2)**, Type 2C, Feature Group - D (FG-D) or SS7/ISUP signaling trunks, connecting directly to the appropriate BellSouth E911 Tandem switch. If SS7 connectivity will be used, refer to Appendix A of this guide.

Note: These trunks must use J-STD-034.7 POI-T8 (MF) Interface Signaling which can be designed with or without the optional pause for acknowledgement after the 1st stage address field. Refer to J-STD-034.7 for details. Ensure the BellSouth Wireless Account Team specifies the correct option on the order form.

The Wireless Carrier will deliver a twenty(20) Digit FG-D signal consisting of the ten(10) digit call back number (CBN) and the ten(10) digit pseudo ANI (p-ANI), to the BellSouth E911 Tandem switch. This signal is in the following format:

KP + II + 10 Digit CBN + ST + KP + 10 Digit p-ANI + ST

Note that the "II" digits are placeholders and may be filled with any two(2) digits.

These trunks are to be ordered through the Wireless Carriers BellSouth Wireless Account Team as an addendum to the Wireless Carriers existing contract with BellSouth.

The Wireless Carrier is **NOT** required to order / purchase data link connections to the BellSouth ALI Host computers when using this option to provide Phase 1 information. The connection to the ALI Host computers will be handled by BellSouth. Wireless Carrier's are responsible for providing E2 connectivity between the MPCs and BellSouth ALI Host computers as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference TR73610, Issue 2.

3.2.2 Specification & Ordering Process: Option 2: Third Party Vendor Solution

The Wireless Carrier will be required to order a **minimum of two (2)**, Type 2C, CAMA or SS7/ISUP signaling trunks, connecting to the appropriate BellSouth E911 Tandem switch. If SS7 connectivity will be used, refer to Appendix A of this guide.

If using CAMA signaling, the Wireless Carrier must be able to deliver to the BellSouth E911 Tandem the two(2) stage CAMA MF signal required for interfacing directly with the appropriate BellSouth E911 Tandem switches. This signal is in the following format:

Stage 1: KP + 11 + ST

Stage 2: KP + Info Digit + 7 Digit ANI (p-ANI) + ST

These trunks are to be ordered through the BellSouth Wireless Account Team as an addendum to the Wireless Carriers existing contract with BellSouth.

The Wireless Carrier is **NOT** required to order / purchase data link connections to the BellSouth ALI Host computers when using this option. The connection to the ALI Host computers is handled by the provider of the solution chosen by the Wireless Carrier. Wireless Carriers must work with Intrado to ensure the chosen solution is compatible with the supported interfaces to the ALI Host computers. Wireless Carriers must establish E2 connectivity between MPCs and the BellSouth ALI Host computers for Phase 2 as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference TR73610, Issue 2.

3.3 Wireless Carrier Owned Hardware

If the Wireless Carrier chooses to purchase their own protocol conversion hardware as a means of achieving Phase I Compliance, the specifications / ordering process will be as follows:

3.3.1 Trunking

The Wireless Carrier will be required to order a **minimum of two (2)**, Type 2C, CAMA or SS7/ISUP signaling trunks, connecting to the appropriate BellSouth E911 Tandem switch. If SS7 connectivity will be used, refer to Appendix A of this guide.

The Wireless Carrier's protocol conversion hardware must be able to deliver the two(2) stage CAMA MF signal required for interfacing directly with the BellSouth E911 Tandem switch. This signal is in the following format:

Stage 1: KP + 11 + ST

Stage 2: KP + Info Digit + 7 Digit ANI (p-ANI) + ST

These trunks are to be ordered through the BellSouth Wireless Account Team as an addendum to the Wireless Carriers existing contract with BellSouth.

3.3.2 Data Connections Required For Wireless Carrier Owned Hardware - Phase 1 Only

In addition to the Type 2C CAMA or SS7 trunks, the Wireless Carrier will be required to purchase **two(2)** data link connections from their protocol conversion hardware directly to the BellSouth ALI Host computers. Two(2) data links are required because the BellSouth ALI Host computers are mated pairs for redundancy, and are located in different locations for diversity.

These data links are 9.6 or 19.2 Kbps asynchronous or up to 56Kbps synchronous for X.25. The Secondary Channel feature is required in order to deploy end-to-end diagnostic and configuration capability from the master end (BellSouth Data Center) without disruptive consequences. The characteristics of the equipment used to modulate the data links are:

- Sub-rate digital Channel Service Unit/Data Service Unit (CSU / DSU) compatible with Memotec SC56
- 10 bit data character
 - 1 start bit
 - 8 data bits (8th bit ignored)
 - 1 stop bit
- Full Duplex
- Continuous Carrier

For additional information and details concerning the data interface, please refer to the following document which can be found on website www.interconnection.bellsouth.com/guides/html/tech_ref.html: and may be amended from time to time:

TR 73610

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COMMERCIAL MOBILE RADIO SERVICE (CMRS) CONNECTION

In most cases, these data links will be interlata / interstate connections. As such, they must be ordered through the Wireless Carriers Interexchange Carrier of choice. The BellSouth portion of these circuits will be provisioned and maintained through the appropriate BellSouth Interexchange Access Customer Advocacy Center (ACAC).

Wireless Carriers must work with Intrado to ensure wireless solutions are compatible with the supported interfaces to the BellSouth ALI host computers.

3.4 Wireless Phase 2

BellSouth supports the implementation of Wireless E911 Phase II through the nondiscriminatory access to its ALI database for those companies wishing to provide Mobile Position Center (MPC) functionality. For the purposes of this document, GMLC and MPC are considered equivalent although a GMLC is unique to a GSM environment. This access is facilitated through the BST ALI Interface. The MPC is defined as the network entity that provides location information to the ALI database. Each MPC provider must execute a contract with BellSouth. This contract must be signed and in place prior to testing Phase II. Wireless Carriers should ensure they have contracted with an MPC provider prior to negotiating Phase

II testing and implementation. BellSouth requires that Wireless Carriers provide notification in writing upon the selection or change in MPC providers.

BellSouth is not responsible for the location determination technology, the accuracy of the location determination technology, or the investigation or maintenance of said technologies. Only the data required and specified by the FCC in its Report and Order 94-102 will be delivered by BellSouth to the PSAP when provided by the CMRS. This required data includes the cell site or sector location, the callback number, and the longitude/latitude of the caller. The delivery, or lack of delivery, of additional data elements which may be provided by the Wireless Carrier will not be the responsibility of BellSouth and BellSouth assumes no responsibility or liability for such information.

3.5 Interface Testing

Wireless Carriers shall conduct joint testing of wireless interfaces to the BellSouth ALI computers. Testing will be required for first occurrences of a particular interface or vendor, and whenever changes are made to an existing interface.

Testing shall be conducted with Intrado utilizing their test facility in Colorado, as well as field testing with the BellSouth production ALI computers within the BellSouth region. Charges may be incurred by the Wireless Carrier for this testing. Details shall be specified in interface agreements.

4. MSAG Maintenance and ESN Assignment

4.1 Overview

This section provides general information on ESN assignments and guidelines for working with BST, BST's data vendor, Intrado, and with the E911 Customer on MSAG maintenance. The Wireless Carrier must meet with the E911 Customers in the wireless service area and agree on 911 call routing, default routing, ESN assignments, and properly assigning MSAG valid street addresses to each ALI database record. Intrado will be the point of contact for data processing and data issue resolution. All other issues should be directed to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager.

4.2 ESN Assignments

ESN mapping is necessary if calls are to be routed to more than one PSAP within an E911 service area. The E911 Customer is responsible for providing boundary information to BST during the conversion to E911 and, ongoing, as emergency districts change.

When an E911 system is being implemented, the E911 Customer provides BST the boundaries depicting each fire, police and EMS jurisdiction for the E911 service area. After all emergency service boundaries have been defined, a different ESN is assigned to each geographical area with the same set of responding agencies, i.e., police, fire, and EMS.

The ESN controls 911 call routing to the proper PSAP and provides emergency agency information for each wireline 911 call. The ESN numbers are assigned to the E911 serving area based on the ESN numbers available in the E911 tandem central office switch. The ESN for wireless 911 calls are used to route the call to the proper PSAP. Due to the geographical variation in service areas of different cell sites, it is not currently feasible to display specific emergency agency information for wireless calls. Cell site service areas generally do not match existing emergency service boundaries. Creating additional ESN boundaries for wireless service areas would be difficult for the E911 Customer and quickly exhaust the ESN numbers available.

The Wireless Carrier must meet with each E911 Customer in the service area and provide wireless service coverage areas for each cell site. The E911 Customers must agree on which PSAP should receive 911 calls based on the coverage area for each antenna face. This may require agreements between political jurisdictions if the wireless service area crosses jurisdictional boundaries. In addition to deciding PSAP routing, the E911 Customers must also decide on which PSAP should receive all 911 calls where the ANI (pANI) is not delivered to the E911 tandem with the call. This condition is known as "ANI failure" and must be default routed to a specific PSAP. The E911 Customers should agree and assign ESN numbers for both normal and default routing. Wireless Carriers must provide BST the list of PSAPs identified to receive default routed calls and the associated trunk groups.

Wireless Carriers must identify E911 Customers using premises based ALI systems. Premises based systems may have special data and interface requirements to enable the dynamic wireless data to be included in those systems.

For areas with existing E911 service, existing ESN numbers should be assigned for wireless call routing. Any of the currently assigned ESN numbers for a specific PSAP can be selected and placed in the corresponding MSAG entries for the cell site addresses as described in the next section. The PSAP should identify which ESNs should be used.

4.3 MSAG Maintenance and Validation

The Master Street Address Guide (MSAG) is the portion of the E911 database which contains the address and ESN information. The MSAG associates the appropriate ESN to the pseudo-ANI number based on the address on the data record provided by the Wireless Carrier.

It is the responsibility of the E911 Customer to assign, maintain and resolve discrepancies in MSAG data for their service area. The E911 Customer is also responsible for providing new address information and changes to address information to the BST data vendor for updating to the MSAG database.

It is the responsibility of all telcos (wireless and wireline) participating in an E911 service area to ensure that all data records sent to the E911 host database have an MSAG valid address. Each telco will work directly with the E911 Customer to resolve any address discrepancies.

The Wireless Carrier and E911 Customers must agree on the formatting of the Wireless Carrier data records. Some wireless solutions require that each antenna face or PSAP, depending on the wireless solution implemented, be assigned an MSAG valid address. The carrier and E911 Customer must work together and agree on how the address and cell site sector location information should be formatted and to ensure the addresses exist in the MSAG database with the appropriate ESN to route 911 calls to the agreed upon PSAP. For some solutions, each antenna face should be assigned unique pseudo-ANI (pANI) numbers by the Wireless Carrier to identify the specific cell site sector location. In other solutions, each PSAP is assigned unique pANI numbers. Pseudo-ANI numbers must be geographically valid for the E911 selective routing tandem used to route the calls to PSAPs. The Wireless Carrier must create SOIR data records for the cell sites or PSAPs containing the MSAG valid street address previously agreed upon with the E911 Customer. If the street address in the SOIR data record is not formatted exactly to match the MSAG entries, the SOIR data record will be in error and returned to the Wireless Carrier for correction. Refer to tab "TN Database Updates" for detailed information on providing data for the E911 database.

For some solutions, the address used for the cell site is the address that has been assigned to the structure where the tower is located. Or, if the tower is being constructed where there is no existing structure, it is the E911 address assigned by the County to the new tower location.

If all antenna faces for a tower will route calls to the same PSAP, the one address may be shown for each pseudo-ANI number associated with that tower. If it is determined that one or more of the pseudo-ANI numbers will need to route to a different PSAP, then different addresses for each face must be obtained from the E911 Customer. Prior to sending the pseudo-ANI data record to the E911 host, the cell site address should be validated with the E911 customer's MSAG in an effort to minimize error fallout and ensure proper ESN assignment for call routing. If the address(es) to be used are not currently in the MSAG, then the E911 Customer should send a MSAG ledger document to the BST data vendor to add the address to the MSAG database. The pseudo-ANI data records for that cell site should not be transmitted by the wireless carrier until the address has been added to the MSAG database.

Some solutions will dynamically provide the cell site location, subscriber call back number, and lat/long during 911 call processing. Wireless carriers are still required to provide "static" pseudo-ANI data records to the E911 host with MSAG valid addresses. These "static" records will be dynamically updated during 911 call processing. The cell site location information provided during the dynamic updates are not validated against the MSAG, but the original "static" record provided in the SOIR process will be validated against the MSAG.

5. TN Database Updates

5.1 Overview

The E911 Telephone Number (TN) database contains data records provided by the different wireline and wireless carriers offering service within the E911 service area. For wireline service, the TN records contain the subscriber's telephone number, name, service address, and other information about the fixed wireline subscriber location that may be helpful in providing emergency response. Wireless data must be treated differently due to the nature of the service and the mobility of the caller's location. Individual wireless subscriber information is not entered into the E911 TN database unless the service is provided to a fixed location.

Phase 1 of FCC Docket 94-102 requires Wireless Carriers to provide the cell site sector location information and call back number for each 911 call to allow the PSAP to have a general idea of where the call originated and enable them to call the person back in the event the call is disconnected. Phase 2 of the FCC Docket requires Wireless Carriers to additionally provide the latitude and longitude coordinates of the caller's location. There are various technological solutions available for Wireless Carriers to meet these Phase 1 and 2 requirements.

Some solutions require that the TN data records provided by the Wireless Carriers define cell site sector location information of the geographical area from where the 911 call originated. This is normally done by creating TN records that represent each face of each antenna. These records must contain an MSAG valid address of the antenna structure and contain cell site sector location information that will help the PSAP in locating the general vicinity of the 911 caller. These data records are assigned numbers by the Wireless Carrier, sometimes referred to as Pseudo-ANI or pANI numbers. Some technological solutions require pANI numbers to be assigned to each antenna face while other solutions require pANI numbers to be assigned to each PSAP. In either case, the database records originally provided by the Wireless Carriers must contain MSAG valid addresses. Multiple pANI numbers per antenna face or PSAP may also be required to handle concurrent 911 calls from the same antenna face. Wireless Carriers must determine the E911 database impact and requirements for the technological solution implemented.

The ten digit call back number of the wireless caller and the latitude/longitude coordinates are normally provided to the full featured E911 database by way of a real time update during 911 call processing. This interface to the E911 database will vary by the technological solution implemented, but normally involves updating the corresponding TN database pANI record to include the ten digit call back number of the caller, latitude/longitude, and in some solutions, the cell site sector location information. Concurrent 911 calls processed by the same antenna face may require multiple pANI numbers and database records to be assigned. As the PSAP receives the 911 call and pANI from the Wireless Carrier, the real time update takes place and stores the caller's call back number and latitude/longitude in the TN database pANI record. The PSAP equipment will query the E911 database using the number provided with the call. The Automatic Location Identification (ALI) returned to the PSAP will include the cell site sector location information, latitude/longitude, and the caller's ten digit call back number. Premises based ALI systems may not support pANI database records or a real time update interface. Wireless Carriers should identify premises based ALI systems in their service area and explain the impact to the E911 Customers.

In most cases a Wireless Carrier will offer service in areas already converted to Enhanced 911. All pseudo-ANI TN records must be initially loaded into the E911 database and updated on an ongoing daily

basis as changes occur. Wireless Carriers will send daily updates to the E911 database via a mechanized file transfer. Specifications for mechanized file transfer are described later in the tab. The file must include pseudo-ANI TN records for the cell site locations or PSAPs in each E911 serving area. Only cell site or PSAP information should be supplied, individual wireless subscriber data should not be provided unless the service is provided to a fixed location. Pseudo-ANI numbers must be geographically valid for the E911 selective routing tandem used to route calls to PSAPs. Prior to a new NXX being implemented, the Wireless Carrier must furnish the NXX Table update form to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager. The form and instructions for its completion are included in this tab. The Wireless Carrier would begin submitting TN database records, also known as Service Order Interface Records (SOIRs), after the MSAG has been updated with cell site addresses and the NXXs have been added to the table.

The procedures for loading the pseudo-ANI TN records and the daily update process, including technical specifications, are provided in this document. *All pseudo-ANI TN records must match the E911 MSAG database exactly before the record will be loaded to the TN database.*

5.2 TN Database Daily Updates: Wireless Carrier Responsibilities

STEP	ACTION
1	Obtain official NENA Company Identifier and include on each pseudo-ANI TN database record.
2	Include every pseudo-ANI TN record within each E911 service area.
3	Include blocks of pseudo-ANI numbers for each antenna face (or PSAP) to handle concurrent 911 calls. Pseudo-ANI numbers must be geographically valid for the E911 selective routing tandem used to route calls to PSAPs.
4	Work directly with Intrado to include the Carrier's Pseudo-ANI numbers in the appropriate Security Tables and to identify the appropriate E2 interface to invoke for Phase 2.

STEP	ACTION
5	Coordinate MSAG updates for the cell sites (or PSAPs) submitted on Maintenance Ledgers by the E911 Customer (including naming/numbering street data)
6	Update address on pseudo-ANI (TN) records as address data or cell site coverage area is modified.
7	Any new service and all subsequent activity affecting the cell site location or PSAP records must be updated into the TN database. Each record affected must be sent individually with the appropriate changes. For example, if the address changes for a cell site which has 3 pseudo-ANI telephone numbers, all three(3) individual pseudo-ANI (TN) records must be updated.
8	Resolve Daily Service Order Interface Record (SOIR) update errors within 24 hours.
9	Update pseudo-ANI (TN) records with valid MSAG address to resolve 911 call misroute conditions.
10	Handle special update requirements including area transfer updates and NPA splits. Mass changes must be coordinated with BST.

STEP	ACTION
11	Three(3) weeks prior to testing or implementing a new NXX, the Wireless Carrier must furnish the NXX Table update form to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager. The form and instructions for its completion are contained in this tab.
12	Work with E911 Customer to resolve address or ESN discrepancies.
13	Transfer data files to INTRADO to test database processing at least one week prior to service implementation.
14	Identify and resolve special requirements for premises based ALI systems.
15	Provide dynamic update interface to populate call back number and latitude / longitude in ALI database.

5.3 E911 Customer Responsibilities

The on-going maintenance responsibilities for the E911 customer are shown below:

- Notify INTRADO of MSAG changes which affect TN records.
- Resolve Address Verification Requests (AVR) referred by INTRADO/Telco.
- Submit PSAP Inquiry Forms to INTRADO.
- Submit ESN realignments / new ESN requirements to the BST marketing contact.

Pseudo-ANI (TN) records that do not have MSAG valid addresses or that error for any other reason, will go to an error file and will not display if a 911 call is made. The PSAP attendant will see "NO RECORD FOUND". Wireless Carriers must ensure all cell site sector locations are defined in the E911 database.

Pseudo-ANI records that are not geographically correct for the E911 selective routing tandem may result in "NO RECORD FOUND" or a wrong ALI display due to improper NPA translation.

5.4 Instructions for NXX Table Update Form

Table C Instructions for NXX Table Update Form

Instructions for NXX Table Update Form	
ACTION CODE:	Circle the CODE that reflects the purpose of the form being submitted:
A - ADD	Add new information to an existing account, i.e. an additional NXX
C - CHANGE	Change information previously submitted, i.e. Contact Name, Phone, etc.
N - NEW	New Request. Circle NEW if this is the first request OR if submitting information for a new state.
COMPANY NAME:	Enter the Wireless Carrier company name.
COMPANY ADDRESS:	Enter the address to be used for correspondence on data issues.
CONTACT NAME:	Enter the name of the person responsible for data issues.
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER:	Enter the full telephone number of the person responsible for data issues.
TELCO ID / OCN:	Enter the four(4) digit numeric Telco ID or Operating Company Number issued by BELLCORE.
NENA CO. IDENTIFIER:	Enter the 3-5 character Company ID code registered with NENA (National Emergency Number Association)
EFFECTIVE DATE:	Enter the anticipated date that you will begin sending database updates. <i>Please note that this form must be submitted no later than three(3) weeks prior to the implementation of testing, not submission of data.</i>
FAX NUMBER:	Enter the full fax telephone number of the person responsible for data issues. Error reports and data correspondence will be faxed to this number.
SERVICE REQUEST FOR:	Circle the state where service will be offered. Please use a separate form for each state. (SF = South FL, NF = North FL)

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Table C Instructions for NXX Table Update Form (continued)

Instructions for NXX Table Update Form	
NPA / NXX(s):	List all NPA/NXXs for pANI records in this service area.
E911 TANDEM CLLI:	Enter the CLLI code for the E911 tandem for which 911 calls using a pANI with This NXX will be routed to. (The BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager can assist you in determining this value). The NPA/NXXs for the pANI records must be valid in this E911 selective routing tandem.

Completed forms should be faxed to the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager, (205) 977-7692 (fax).

5.6 MSAG Formatting

There are basic guidelines for the format of the address on the incoming TN records in order for the TN record to find an exact match to an existing entry in the MSAG database. TN records which do not match the MSAG exactly will error back to the Wireless Carrier for resolution and re-transmission of the TN data. Wireless Carriers must work with the E911 Customer and agree on cell site address formats and to ensure corresponding entries are present in the MSAG database. Cell site sector location information provided by some solutions real time during 911 call processing is not validated against the MSAG, although the initial TN record added to the database must have an MSAG valid address.

An example of an MSAG entry in the E911 database is shown below:

Range	Prefix Directional	Street Name	Street Suffix (Thoroughfare)	Post Directional	Community
100-399	N	MAIN	ST	SW	CHARLOTTE

The address for the TN record being submitted via file transfer would need to be formatted to match the MSAG format shown below:

5.6.1 Correct Format

125 N MAIN ST SW CHARLOTTE

The SOIR will be formatted as follows:

House Number = 125

PREFIX DIRECTIONAL = N

STREET NAME= MAIN ST SW (includes street name, street suffix, & post directional)

COMMUNITY = CHARLOTTE

5.6.2 Incorrect Format

125 NORTH MAIN STREET SW CHARLOTTE

125 N MAIN STREET SW CHARLOTTE

125 NORTH MAIN ST SW CHARLOTTE

All of the above examples shown in the incorrect format would have generated an error back to the Wireless Carrier.

Some other basic rules or guidelines for address format are:

- Avoid using punctuation such as periods, commas, and / or ampersands. Punctuation is only allowed as part of the street name. (i.e. O'HENRY)
- Standard street suffix (thoroughfare) and/or directional abbreviations must always be used. Refer to the valid list of standard abbreviations shown in this tab.

5.7 Standard Street Suffix (Thoroughfare) Designations / Directionals

The following table outlines the BellSouth street suffix (thoroughfare) abbreviations.

5.7.1 BellSouth Street Suffix (Thoroughfare) Abbreviations (Table)

Table D BellSouth Street Suffix (Thoroughfare) Abbreviations (Table)

T / F Abbrev	Description	T / F Abbrev	Description
ALY	ALLEY	LN	LANE
ANX	ANNEX	LOOP	LOOP
ARC	ARCADE	MKT	MKT
AV	AVENUE	MNR	MANOR
BDWK	BOARDWALK	MT	MOUNT
BEND	BEND	MTN	MOUNTAIN
BLK	BLOCK	NK	NECK
BLVD	BOULEVARD	PASS	PASS
BR	BRANCH	PATH	PATH
BTM	BOTTOM	PD	POND
BYP	BYPASS	PK	PARK
CIR	CIRCLE	PKE	PIKE
CRES	CRESCENT	PKWY	PARKWAY
CRK	CREEK	PL	PLACE
CRSG	CROSSING	PLZ	PLAZA
CSWY	CAUSEWAY	PR	PIER
CT	COURT	PROM	PROM
CTR	CENTER	PT	POINT
CV	COVE	PVT DR	PRIVATE DRIVE
DR	DRIVE	RD	ROAD
ESPLND	ESPLANADE	RDG	RIDGE
EST	ESTATE	RDWY	ROADWAY
EXPWY	EXPRESSWAY	ROW	ROW
EXT	EXTENSION	RT	ROUTE

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Table D BellSouth Street Suffix (Thoroughfare) Abbreviations (Table) (continued)

T / F Abbrev	Description	T / F Abbrev	Description
FRK	FORK	RUN	RUN
FRWY	FREEWAY	SQ	SQUARE
GRDN	GARDEN	ST	STREET
HBR	HARBOR	STA	STATION
HL	HILL	TER	TERRACE
HLS	HILLS	THRWY	THRUWAY
HOLW	HOLLOW	TR	TRAIL
HT	HEIGHT	TRC	TRACE
HTS	HEIGHTS	TRNPK	TURNPIKE
HWY	HIGHWAY	VLG	VILLAGE
ISL	ISLAND	WAY	WAY
JCTN	JUNCTION	WHF	WHARK
LDG	LANDING	WK	WALK
LK	LAKE	YD	YARD

When "Avenue" precedes a street name that is a letter or number, it is not considered a street suffix designation and is, therefore, spelled in full. Refer to examples shown below. When the name of a street is an alphabetic character, the word "Street" is spelled in full. Refer to the examples shown below.

Directional words, North (N), South (S), East (E), West (W), North East (NE), North West (NW), South East (SE), South West (SW) are abbreviated except when used as lettered streets. Refer to the examples shown below.

Street Examples:

511	1ST	733	33RD	23	STREET A NE
600	1ST STREET	733	N 33RD TER	25	SOUTH RD
411	1ST AV	985	NW 5TH CT	60	NORTHEAST BLVD
512	1ST NE	109	E STREET		
622	22ND PL SW	735	AVENUE K		

5.8 Standard Location Designations

A portion of the TN data record layout described in this tab includes a data field for specific location information. This field is not edited on incoming SOIRs for content, however, there are certain format standards that the PSAP customer is accustomed to seeing on wireline database records. For wireless

data records, the location data field may be used to define the cell site sector geographical service area. Wireless Carriers should work with the E911 Customer and agree on the TN data record formats including use of the LOCATION (LOC) data field.

There are four(4) levels of identifiers used for different types of information. Those identifiers are shown as follows in the appropriate hierarchical level:

- Level 1: BLDG, WNG, PIER
- Level 2: FLR
- Level 3: APT, RM, LOT, SLIP, SUIT, UNIT
- Level 4: DES

These identifiers may be used uniquely or combined. The identifiers and associated data cannot exceed the size limitation of the data field. Some examples are shown below:

- EXAMPLE 1: APT 2-B
- EXAMPLE 2: BLDG 6 APT 2-B
- EXAMPLE 3: FLR 6 SUIT 2-B
- EXAMPLE 4: DES NEXT TO POOL
- EXAMPLE 5: .25 MI NE OF MAIN ST (wireless example)

5.9 Updating the TN Database

The Wireless Carrier must provide data records for the E911 database as described in this tab. Data records are validated for proper format and to ensure the address information is defined in the MSAG database. The TN data record includes a "Function of Change" data field to indicate the type of processing that should be performed for this record. Processing rules for some of the "Function of Change" data values are described below:

Function of Change Data Value:	Processing Rules:
I	Insert this data record into the database. There must not be another data record with the same TN (pANI) or calling number in the database or the insert will fail.
C	Change the corresponding record in the database. A data record must already exist in the database with the same TN (pANI) or calling number. The entire database record is replaced by the new data record, therefore the incoming record must have all appropriate data fields populated.
D	Delete the corresponding record in the database. A data record must already exist in the database with the same TN (pANI) or calling number.
E	Delete the corresponding record in the Error File. No processing is performed against the E911 database.

5.10 Service Order Interface File Specifications

This section describes BellSouth Service Order Interface file specifications and Service Order Interface Record (SOIR) layouts. BellSouth SOIR layouts resemble the 512 character NENA Version 2 layouts for Data Exchange with some BellSouth specific differences. Files for updating the BellSouth E911 database must adhere to the following file specifications:

1. All files contain a single file header record, followed by one or more data records, followed by a single file trailer record. All records are 512 characters in length. Layouts are described in this tab.
2. All data must be in ASCII format.
3. All data must be in upper case.
4. Required fields must contain valid data. Required fields are indicated in the layouts with capitalized field names.
5. Optional fields may be space filled, unless otherwise noted, if data values are not available. Optional fields are indicated in the layouts with lower case field names.

5.11 SOIR File Data Record Layout

5.11.1 Table: SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange

Table E SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange

Sent to PSAP	Stored in Database	Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
No	No	FUNCTION CODE	1	1	A	Type of activity the record is being submitted for. Valid entries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C - Change • D - Delete • I - Insert • E -Delete Error • U - Unlock (LNP) • M - Migrate (LNP)
Yes	Yes	NPA	2 - 4	3	N	Three(3) digit area code of the Calling Number.
Yes	Yes	CALLING NUMBER (TN)	5 - 11	7	N	Seven(7) digit telephone number of the Calling Number. For Wireless, pseudo ANI of PSAPor antenna face receiving wireless call.
Yes - Only eight(8) characters sent to PSAP.	Yes	HOUSE NUMBER	12 - 21	10	AN	House number. The field should be space filled if no house number is available.
Yes	Yes	house number suffix	22 - 25	4	AN	House number extension (e.g., 1/2). The field should be space filled if suffix does not apply. Do not lead with hyphen.
Yes	Yes	prefix directional	26 - 27	2	A	Leading street direction prefix. The field should be space filled if no prefix applies. Valid entries: N, S, E, W, NE, NW, SE, SW.

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Table E SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange (continued)

Sent to PSAP	Stored in Database	Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
Yes - Only 48 characters sent to PSAP. EX: Main St NW	Yes - Some solutions may change this data via dynamic update during 911 call processing.	STREET NAME STREET SUFFIX POST DIRECTIONAL	28 - 93	66	AN	MSAG valid service address of the Calling Number, PSAP or Antenna Site. Include street name, street suffix (i.e. thoroughfare designation) and post directional. Street Suffixes must conform to BellSouth MSAG standards; valid Post Directional entries are: N, S, E, W, NE, NW, SE, SW. EX: MAIN ST NW
Yes - Only 18 characters sent to PSAP.	Yes - Some solutions may change this data via dynamic update during 911 call processing.	COMMUNITY NAME	94 - 125	32	A	Valid service community of the street name / house number as designated by the MSAG.
Yes	Yes	STATE	126 - 127	2	A	Alpha postal state abbreviation (e.g., AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, SC, and TN).
Yes - Value of G = Wireless P1 (Sent to PSAP as WRLS). Value of H = Wireless P2 (Sent to PSAP as WPH2)	Yes - Only twenty(20) characters stored and sent to PSAP.	location	128 - 187	60	AN	Additional address information (free formatted) describing the exact location of the Calling Number (e.g., APT 718).

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Table E SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange (continued)

Sent to PSAP	Stored in Database	Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
Yes	Yes	CUSTOMER NAME	188 - 219	32	AN	Carrier name associated with the Calling Number.
Yes - Value of G = Wireless P1 (Sent to PSAP as WRLS). Value of H = Wireless P2 (Sent to PSAP as WPH2)	Yes	CLASS OF SERVICE	220	1	AN	Value of: G=Wireless P1 Value of: H=Wireless P2
No	Yes	TYPE OF SERVICE	221	1	N	Value of: 0=Not Non-Pub 3=Non-Pub
No	Yes	EXCHANGE	222 - 225	4	AN	Phone company exchange identifier for the serving telephone office of the customer; ALEC and Wireless may be blank.
Yes - Only three(3) characters sent to PSAP.	Yes	esn	226 - 230	5	AN	Emergency Service Number associated with the House Number and Street Name; this field is blank on input and derived from the MSAG validation process.
No	No	MAIN NPA	231 - 233	3	N	Area code of the Main Number associated with the Calling Number. For wireless, use same value as NPA field.
Yes	Yes	MAIN NUMBER	234 - 240	7	N	Main telephone number associated with the Calling Number. For wireless use same value as Calling Number field.

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Table E SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange (continued)

Sent to PSAP	Stored in Database	Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
No	Yes	order number	241 - 250	10	AN	Service order number for the activity establishing this record.
No	Yes	EXTRACT DATE	251 - 256	6	N	Date on which the record was created in the format MMDDYY.
No	Yes	county identifier	257 - 260	4	AN	County Identification code (usually the FIPS code). Will be blank on input and derived from MSAG validation process.
Yes	Yes	COMPANY ID	261 - 265	5	AN	Telephone Company Identification code as assigned through NENA registration process.
No	Yes	source identifier	266	1	AN	Code which indicates whether data is part of the initial database creation process or part of the daily update process. Daily = Space Initial Load = C
No	Yes	zip code	267 - 271	5	AN	Postal Zip Code.
No	Yes	zip +4	272 - 275	4	AN	Postal Zip Code Extension.
No	No	general use	276 - 286	11	AN	This field is mutually used by data exchange partners to pass information not defined in previous fields.
No	Yes	CUSTOMER CODE	287 - 289	3	AN	Code used to uniquely identify a customer. For ICO, ALEC, and Wireless companies this code can be blank on input or filled with 999. TN processing will convert all blanks to 999.
No	Yes	comments	290 - 319	30	AN	Optional notes

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Table E SOIR File Data Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange (continued)

Sent to PSAP	Stored in Database	Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
Yes - Dynamically updated in DB.	Yes - Dynamically updated in DB.	x coordinate	320 - 328	9	AN	Longitude / X coordinate.
Yes - Dynamically updated in DB.	Yes - Dynamically updated in DB.	y coordinate	329 - 337	9	AN	Latitude / Y coordinate.
No	No	z coordinate	338 - 342	5	AN	Reserved for future use. Structure elevation.
No	No	cell identifier	343 - 348	6	AN	Reserved for future use. Identification number indicating a geographic region of cellular coverage.
No	No	sector identifier	349	1	AN	Reserved for future use. Subset / section of a cell.
No	Yes	TAR CODE	350 - 355	6	AN	Taxing Area Rate Code. ALEC and Wireless populate with zeros.
Yes	Yes	remote call forward (rcf) number	356 - 365	10	N	Remote Call Forward Number field; Wireless Providers must send spaces; if Wireless Provider has dynamic update interface, or other providers send RCF, mobile directory number or RCF will be sent to PSAP following field identifier of ALT#
No	No	reserved	366 - 511	146	AN	This field is reserved for the processing company's use.
No	No	END OF RECORD	512	1	AN	Always an asterisk (*)

5.12 SOIR File Header Record Layout

5.12.1 Table: SOIR File Header Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange

Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
HEADER INDICATOR	1-5	5	A	Always "UHL "
EXTRACT DATE	6-11	6	N	Date formatted as MMDDYY
COMPANY NAME	12-61	50	AN	
CYCLE COUNTER	62-67	6	N	New customers start at 000001; each subsequent file cycle is incremented by 1 until reaching 999999
county identifier	68-71	4	AN	
state	72-73	2	A	
general use	74-93	20	AN	
release number	94-96	3	N	
format version	97	1	N	
reserved	98-511	414	AN	
END OF RECORD	512	1		Always "*"

5.13 SOIR File Trailer Record Layout

5.13.1 SOIR File Trailer Record - BellSouth 512 Character Format for Data Exchange

Field Name	Position	Bytes	Type	BellSouth Description
TRAILER INDICATOR	1 - 5	5	A	Always "UHL "
EXTRACT DATE	6 - 11	6	N	Date formatted as MMDDYY
COMPANY NAME	12 - 61	50	AN	
RECORD COUNT	62 - 67	6	N	Does not include header and trailer record
reserved	98 - 511	414	AN	
END OF RECORD	512	1		Always "*"

5.14 Mechanized File Transfer

The Service Order Interface Record (SOIR) is the TN database information that is mechanically transmitted to INTRADO for inclusion in the E911 database. If the Wireless Carrier data file passes all validity checks, it will be processed to the E911 database.

PLEASE NOTE: THE PREFERRED METHOD OF DATA TRANSMISSION IS CONNECT:MAILBOX™, A PRODUCT OFFERED THROUGH INTRADO. OTHER METHODS OF DATA TRANSMISSION MAY BE SUPPORTED BY INTRADO. PLEASE COORDINATE THROUGH THE BST WIRELESS IMPLEMENTATION MANAGER AND INTRADO.

Establishment of CONNECT MAILBOX™ to the INTRADO system will be coordinated through the BST Wireless E911 Implementation Manager / INTRADO. Once established, support for Connect Mailbox™ will be handled by INTRADO.

Connect Mailbox™ Client for Windows requires the following minimum system requirements:

- Microsoft Windows Version 3.1 or later
- 4MB of Memory
- 2MB of Hard Disk Space (3MB During Installation)
- VGA or Better Card with a Color Monitor
- Hayes Compatible Modem with full Carrier Detect Support
- Utilizes Z Modem as the interface protocol

INTRADO will work with customers that wish to use an alternative client product, so long as that product supports X-Modem, Z-Modem, or Kermit.

5.15 Mechanized File Confirmations

When an file is sent, a check will be made to determine if any errors exist in the header, data, or trailer records. If no errors are detected, a positive response will be sent via mechanized fax to the Wireless Carrier. The positive confirmation detail record is shown below:

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BELLSOUTH E911 FILE NOTIFICATION
4046144916                (BELLSOUTH CONTACT NUMBER)
DATE/TIME FILE PROCESSED (MM/DD/YYYY HH:MM:SS)
CYCLE # RECEIVED         (JULIAN DATE - 3 NUMERICS)
• TOTAL # RECORDS RECEIVED (6 NUMERICS)

                PRIVATE
Proprietary Information compiled by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
from its records to be used for E911 purposes only. Not to be
disclosed except by written authorization of
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
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If an error is detected, an error confirmation notice will be sent via mechanized fax. The following error conditions will be detected:

- Record Count Mismatch
- Cycle Mismatch
- Header Record Not Found
- Trailer Record Not Found

The error confirmation notice is shown below:

```
BELLSOUTH E911 FILE NOTIFICATION
4046144916                (BELLSOUTH CONTACT NUMBER)
DATE/TIME FILE PROCESSED (MM/DD/YYYY HH:MM:SS)
ERROR TEXT
CYCLE # RECEIVED         (JULIAN DATE - 3 NUMERICS)
CYCLE # EXPECTED        (JULIAN DATE - 3 NUMERICS)
TOTAL # RECORDS RECEIVED (6 NUMERICS)

                PRIVATE
Proprietary Information compiled by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
from its records to be used for E911 purposes only. Not to be
disclosed except by written authorization of
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
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6. TN Errors and Corrective Action

6.1 Overview

This section provides procedures for correcting errors that are generated when updates to the E911 database do not pass database edits. Records that fail the edits will be sent daily in an error report to the Wireless Carrier. Errors are sorted in TN order and an error code is provided on each error to aid the Carrier in identifying the erroneous information.

Wireless Carrier error records will not be manually corrected or processed to the E911 database. A corrective SOIR must be issued to update the TN information in the E911 database and / or to delete the error record as appropriate. The records which error **must** be corrected as quickly as possible for the wireless data to be included in the E911 database.

The Wireless Carrier is expected to resolve the errors by:

- Issuing Address Verification Requests (AVR) to the E911 Coordinator for MSAG changes.
- Issuing corrective SOIRs **within 24 hours of receipt**.

6.2 Electronic Error Delivery

Errors are delivered to the Wireless Carrier's Intrado Connect Mailbox. Confirmation files and Statistics files with information on error records and records that have processed successfully are generated .

6.2.1 The Confirmation Report

The Confirmation reports list the daily update records that are in error, along with a three-digit error code. The error code descriptions and corrective action are provided in this tab. (Note: Only records in error are included on this report. If the record has successfully processed and posted in the ALI database it will not be included on this report.)

Example of the Confirmation report is shown below. The record layout for electronic errors is in NENA Version 2 format. There is a three (3) digit error code located at the end of the record in reserved fields 378-380 followed by an "E" to indicate the record is in error.

Daily update record received	*D55856711111235	MAIN				
	ST ANYTOWN			WA		
	WSP DATA TEST	10			558567111100003	102899
	752 E					
	*D55889011111234	N MAIN				
	ST ANYTOWN			CO		
	WSP DATA TEST	10			558890111100002	102899
	702 E					
	*I55856711111235	W MAIN				
	ST ANYTOWN			WA		
	WSP DATA TEST	10			558567111100003	102899
	709 E					
	*I55889011111234	MAIN				
	ST ANYTOWN			CO		
	WSP DATA TEST	10			558890111100001	102899
	703 E					

Table F Confirmation Report Fields and Descriptions

FIELD	DESCRIPTION
FUNCTION CODE	Valid codes are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • : I=Insert • C=Change • P=Main account delete • E=Error delete • U=Unlock • M=Migrate
NPA	Three(3) digit number of Calling Number
CALLING NUMBER	Seven(7) digit number of Calling Number
HOUSE NUMBER	House Number. The field should be spaced filled if no house number is available.
HOUSE NUMBER SUFFIX	House number extension (e.g. /2). The field should be spaced filled if no suffix applies.
PREFIX DIRECTIONAL	Leading street direction prefix. The field should be spaced filled if no prefix applies. Valid entries: N, S, E, W, NE, NW, SE, SW
STREET NAME	Valid street address of the Calling Number.
STREET SUFFIX	Valid street abbreviation.
POST DIRECTIONAL	Trailing street direction suffix. The field should be spaced filled if no suffix applies. Valid entries: N, S, E, W, NE, NW, SE, SW

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Table F Confirmation Report Fields and Descriptions (continued)

COMMUNITY NAME	Valid service community of the street name/house number as designated by the MSAG.
STATE	Alpha state abbreviation
LOCATION	Additional address information (free formatted) describing the exact location of the Calling Number (e.g. APT 718).
CUSTOMER NAME	Subscriber name associated with the Calling Number.
CLASS OF SERVICE	Value of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8=Moble (pre-Phase 1) • G=Wireless Phase 1 • H=Wireless Phase 2 (with X,Y)
TYPE OF SERVICE	Value of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0=Not Non-pub or FX • 1=FX not Non-pub • 2=Not used • 3=Non-pub, not FX • 4=Non-pub, FX • 5=Not Used
EXCHANGE	Local Exchange Carrier exchange identifier for the serving telephone office of the customer.
MAIN NPA	Three(3) digit area code of the Main Number associated with the Calling Number.
MAIN NUMBER	Seven(7) digit telephone number of the Main Number associated with the Calling Number.
ORDER NUMBER	Service order number for the activity establishing this record.
EXTRACT DATE	Date for which the record was created in the form MMDDYY
COUNTY ID	County Identification Code (usually the FIPS code).
COMPANY ID	NENA registered Company Identification Code.
SOURCE ID	Indicates whether data is part of the initial database creation process or part of the daily update process. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily = Space • Initial Load = C
ZIP CODE	Postal Zip Code
ZIP+4	Postal Zip Code Extension

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Table F Confirmation Report Fields and Descriptions (continued)

GENERAL USE	Mutually used by data exchange partners to pass information not defined in previous fields.
CUSTOMER CODE	Code used to uniquely identify customer.
COMMENTS	Optional notes may be displayed at PSAP
X COORDINATE	Longitude / X coordinate
Y COORDINATE	Latitude / Y coordinate
Z COORDINATE	Structure elevation
CELL ID	Identification number indicating a geographic region of cellular coverage.
SECTOR ID	Sub set / section of a cell.
TAR CODE	Taxing Area Rate Code
RESERVED	Positions 356-511 are reserved. Positions 378-380 are used by Intrado to populate the three(3) digit error code (e.g. 709).
END OF RECORD	Always an asterisk (*)

6.2.2 The Statistics Report

The Statistics Report provides information about the processed daily update records. The top portion of the report shows the number of records received, followed by the number of records in error, and the number of inserts, changes and deletes that were successfully processed. The bottom portion of the report lists all the valid error codes for the BellSouth region and the number of errors with that error code. Example of the Statistics Report is shown below.

PAGE	1	E911 DATABASE UPDATE STATISTICS	RUN DATE 08/26/97
			RUN TIME 13:30:13
TOTAL NUMBER OF UPDATES RECEIVED:	15		NUMBER OF
UPDATES IN ERROR:	3		NUMBER OF INSERTS
APPLIED:	10		NUMBER OF CHANGES APPLIED:
0		NUMBER OF DELETES APPLIED:	2
NUMBER OF ERRORS BY TYPE			
	100	CUS CODE NOT NUMERIC	
	101	NPANXX RECORD NOT FOUND	
	102	UNKNOWN ERROR	
	103	PILOT NUMBER NOT NUMERIC	
	104	UNKNOWN ERROR	
	105	NAME MISSING	
	106	LAD OR SAD IS IN BAD FORMAT	
	107	HOUSE NUMBER IS INVALID	
	108	HOUSE NUMBER TOO LONG	
	109	STREET DIR TOO LONG	
	110	STREET DIR IS INVALID	
	111	STREET NAME TOO LONG	
	112	STREET NAME IS INVALID	
	113	CITY NAME IS TOO LONG	
	114	CITY NAME IS MISSING OR INVALID	
	115	USOC/CLASS OF SERVICE NOT IN TBL	
	116	HOUSE SUFFIX INVALID	
	117	ILLEGAL ACTION ON PILOT	
	118	W OR T ORDER HAS NO PILOT ACTION	
	119	TN / DX / PX INVALID FORMAT	
	120	TN, CX OR PX INCORRECTLY FORMATED	
	121	LOC INFO ERROR (CLASS SVC=5)	
	122	MULTIPLE ACTIONS FOR TN	
	123	SLA FORMAT IS INCORRECT	
	124	TWO TN'S ON S&E LINE (TN, CX, PX)	
	125	MISSING TN FOR USOC	
	126	MEDICAL INFORMATION INVALID	
	127	LANGUAGE INFORMATION INVALID	
	128	MEDICAL INFORMATION REQUEST	
	129	LANGUAGE INFORMATION REQUEST	
	130-139	NOT USED	
	140	UNAUTHORIZED TELEPHONE NUMBER	
	141-150	NOT USED	
Error indicator	2	701 RANGE NOT FOUND	
		702 RECORD EXISTS NO INSERT	
		703 PILOT RECORD NOT FOUND	
		704 NO RECORD EXISTS FOR DELETE	
		705 PILOT NOT FOUND FOR DELETE	
		707 PILOT CUS CODE MISSING ON INSERT	
		708 INVALID CLI CODE	
		709 STREET NOT FOUND	
		710 CUS CODE MISMATCH ON CHANGE	
		711 CUS CODE MISMATCH ON DELETE	
		712 RECORD DOES NOT EXIST FOR CHANGE	
		713 TN AND PILOT NUMBER MISMATCH	
		729 CD ERROR DATE CONFLICT	
		730 REC IN DISC NOT < COMPLETE DATE	
		731 REC EXISTS LATER OR = CMLPT DATE	
		732 REC IN DISC WITH > CMLPT DATE	
		733 NEW NUMBER ALREADY EXISTS	
		734 LINE DEL OF PILOT WITH SUBLINE	
		735 NO DELETE SAME COMPLETION DATE	
		736 PILOT IS SLA CANT USE ADDR	
		737 LOC FLAG IS ON NO ADDR UPDATE	
		739 INVALID HOUSE FORMAT	
		740 STREET NAME IS TOO LONG	
		741 PSALI/ACH LOCKED RECORD	
		742 SERVICE CLASS DOESNT MATCH PILOT	
		743 SERVICE TYPE DOESNT MATCH PILOT	
		744 CUS NAME DOES NOT MATCH PILOT	
		745 RANGE FITS IN MULTIPLE CITY EXCH	
		746 COMMUNITY AND EXCH ARE BLANK	
		747 CLI DOES NOT MATCH MSAG CLI	
		748 LOCATION DOESNT MATCH PILOT	
		749 CUS CODE DOESNT MATCH PILOT	
		750 TAR CODE DOESNT MATCH PILOT	
		751 INVALID FUNCTION CODE	
		752 INVALID COMPANY CODE	
		753 NO RECORD EXISTS ON UNLOCK	
		754 NO RECORD EXISTS ON LOCK	
Error indicator	1	755 UNABLE TO MIGRATE LOCKED REC	
		756 COMPANY CODE MISMATCH ON CHANGE	
		757 COMPANY CODE MISMATCH ON DELETE	
		758 COMPANY CODE MISMATCH ON UNLOCK	
		759 COMPANY CODE MISMATCH ON LOCK	
		760 LOCK EXCEED NUMBER OF RETRIES	
		761 PILOT COMPANY CODE MISMATCH	
		762 LNP REQUIRED ON U OR M FUNCTION	
		763 PILOT DELETE ORPHANED SUBLINES	
		764 PILOT AND SUBLINE REQUIRE VERF	
	3	TOTAL ERROR(S)	

Figure 2 The Statistics Report

6.2.3 Distribution of Daily Reports

Intrado forwards daily reports electronically each business day. The Saturday and Sunday Confirmation and Statistical reports are included in Monday's cycle. To retrieve reports after sending a file: (1) return

to Intrado Connect, (2) click on the transfer key, and (3) click on the download key and automatically retrieve your reports.

6.2.4 TN Error Deletion

When a SOIR is processed, a check is made to determine if an error record exists in the error file with the same TN on the SOIR. If an error record other than a U (Unlock) or M (Migrate) exists, the error record will be deleted and the TN will be processed to the E911 Database if the subsequent SOIR is successful. If an error other than for a U (Unlock) or M (Migrate) SOIR occurs while processing the subsequent SOIR, a new error record will be written to the error file, thus only one SOIR record should ever be present in the error file for any given TN.

TN error records requiring deletion will be deleted by issuing a subsequent SOIR with an FOC = "E". When the FOC = "E" on the subsequent SOIR, the error file will be searched for a match on TN and, if found, the error will be deleted from the error file. SOIRs sent with a FOC of "E" are used ONLY to delete a TN from the error file and are not processed to a matching TN embedded record in the E911 database. An example of a situation where an "E" FOC might be used is to delete a TN error record where the original SOIR had been with an invalid TN.

6.3 Error Codes and Error Descriptions

The following error codes may be generated and sent via fax.

Note: If an error code is received that is not reflected in this guide, please refer to the BellSouth Wireless E911 Implementation Manager.

Table G Error Codes and Error Descriptions

ERROR	DESCRIPTION
100	Customer Code not numeric
101	NPA/NXX not valid
103	Main TN not numeric
105	Name Missing
106	Address Missing
107	House number contains invalid characters
108	House number is too long
109	Street direction is too long
110	Street Direction is invalid
111	Street name is too long

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Table G Error Codes and Error Descriptions (continued)

ERROR	DESCRIPTION
112	Street name has invalid characters
113	Community Name is too long
114	Community Name has invalid characters
115	Service class invalid
116	House Number Suffix is too long
120	TN is incorrectly formatted
126	Invalid type of service
701	House number is not in MSAG range
702	Record already exists, insert not allowed
704	Record does not exist for delete
705	Main record not found for delete
709	Street not found in MSAG
710	customer code doesn't match on change
711	Customer code or street name does not match on delete
712	Record does not exist for change
713	TN and Main Account mismatch
729	Change failed, completion date conflict with disconnect file
730	Insert failed, completion date conflict with disconnect file
731	Change failed, completion date conflict with TN database
732	Record in disconnect with greater completion date
735	Delete failed, record in TN database has same completion date
738	MSAG update caused TN error
739	Invalid house number format
741	Update not allowed; flagged for PS / ALI
751	Invalid Function Code
752	Invalid Company ID
753	No record exists on Unlock
754	No record exists on Lock
755	Unable to migrate a locked record

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Table G Error Codes and Error Descriptions (continued)

ERROR	DESCRIPTION
756	Company Code mismatch on Change
757	Company Code mismatch on Delete
758	Company ID mismatch on Unlock
760	Lock exceeded number of retries
762	U or M Function Required for LNP
781	Error record does not exist for delete
782	Company Code mismatch on error delete
783	Unlock failed; Main account has sublines
792	Record exists with a Company Code mismatch

6.4 Error Code and Corrective Action

Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
100	Customer Code not numeric	A character other than 999 is sent in the customer code field of the incoming record	Issue corrective SOIR for errored TN showing 999 in the customer code field
101	NPA / NXX not valid	The incoming record contains a NPA / NXX combination that is not valid E911 database tables	Determine if NPANXX is correct and <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If correct, submit NXX Table UpdateForm to INTRADO and resubmit I FOC SOIR for TN • If incorrect, submit E FOC SOIR to delete TN error and submit new SOIR for correct TN
103	Main TN not numeric	The main telephone number shown on the SOIR is non-numeric	Submit E FOC SOIR to delete invalid TN error and resubmit new SOIR for correct TN
105	Name missing	The customer name field on the incoming SOIR is blank	Issue corrective SOIR for errored TN with correct customer name
106	Address missing	The address field on the incoming SOIR is blank	Issue corrective SOIR for errored TN with correct MSAG valid street address.

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
107	House number contains invalid characters	The house number on the incoming SOIR contains characters other than alpha or numeric.	Determine the correct MSAG valid house number and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
108	House number is too long	The house number on the incoming SOIR contains too many characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid house number and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
109	Street direction is too long	The directional prefix for the street on the incoming SOIR contains too many characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid street name and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
110	Street direction is invalid	The directional prefix for the street on the incoming SOIR contains invalid characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid street name and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
111	Street name is too long	The street name with thoroughfare and suffix on the incoming SOIR contains too many characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid street name and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
112	Street name has invalid characters	The street name for the street on the incoming SOIR contains invalid characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid street name and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
113	Community name is too long	The community name on the incoming SOIR contains too many characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid community name for the street address and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
114	Community name has invalid characters	The community name for the street on the incoming SOIR contains invalid characters	Determine the correct MSAG valid street name and community and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
115	Service Class Invalid	The incoming record has an invalid class of service	Submit corrective SOIR with valid class of service
116	House number suffix is too long	The house number suffix on the incoming SOIR contains too many characters	Determine the correct house number suffix and submit corrective SOIR for errored TN
120	TN is incorrectly formatted	The TN on an incoming SOIR is not made up of ten numeric characters.	Check the NPANXX in the record for all numeric and no blanks. Submit E FOC with NPANXX of errored TN to delete error record then re-submit SOIR with correct TN
126	Invalid type of service	The type of service on an incoming SOIR contains a type of service value other than 0 or 3	Submit SOIR with valid type of service, 0 or 3

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
701	House number is not in MSAG range	The house number on the incoming SOIR is not found in the house number range for the street and community on the MSAG	Determine if the street range exists in the MSAG. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the house number on the SOIR is correct but is not in the MSAG, issue an AVR to the E911 coordinator to update the MSAG house number range • If the house number on the SOIR is incorrect issue a SOIR with the correct house number that matches the MSAG house number range
702	Record already exists, insert not allowed	The SOIR has a FOC of I and attempts to insert a TN into the database that already exists	Using the image of the existing record that is sent with the error, determine if the existing database TN is incorrect or if the SOIR error is incorrect. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the existing database TN is incorrect, resubmit the SOIR with a FOC of C to overlay the existing data with the SOIR data • If the error record TN is incorrect, resubmit a SOIR with FOC of E to delete the errored record and then resubmit another SOIR for the correct TN
704	Record does not exist for delete	The TN for the incoming SOIR does not exist in the database	Determine if the account has been disconnected: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If disconnected, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record • If error record was issued for invalid TN, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record and resubmit new D FOC SOIR for correct TN
705	Main account record not found for delete	The main account TN on the incoming SOIR does not exist in the database	Determine if the account has been disconnected: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If disconnected, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record • If error record was issued for invalid TN, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record and resubmit new D FOC SOIR for correct TN

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
709	Street not found in MSAG	The directional prefix, street name, community or state on the incoming SOIR cannot be found in the MSAG	Determine if the street exists in the MSAG: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the prefix, street, community and state shown on the error record is not found in the MSAG issue an AVR to the E911 Coordinator to have the MSAG updated (Note: Once the MSAG is updated the error record will process and load.) • If the prefix, street, community or state on the error record is incorrect and a valid MSAG entry exists, resubmit a corrective SOIR
710	Customer code doesn't match on change	The customer code shown for the incoming SOIR doesn't match the customer shown on the existing database record	Determine the correct customer code and resubmit corrective SOIR with customer code of 999 or blanks
711	Customer code or street name does not match on delete	The customer code, directional prefix, street name and suffix on the incoming SOIR does not match the TN in the database	Using the image of the existing record that is sent with the error, determine if the TN in the database should be deleted <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the existing database TN is should be deleted, resubmit a correct D FOC SOIR • If the existing database TN should not be deleted and the error record TN is incorrect, resubmit a SOIR with FOC of E to delete the errored record and then resubmit another SOIR for the correct TN
712	Record does not exist for change	The incoming C FOC SOIR TN is not found in the TN database	Determine if the error record TN is valid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If error record TN is valid, no action is necessary. Processing in the TN database will change the C FOC to an I FOC and insert the record. • If the error record TN is invalid, resubmit a D FOC SOIR to delete the TN from the TN database and then resubmit the C FOC SOIR for the correct TN

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
713	TN and main account mismatch	The main account shown on the incoming SOIR doesn't match the main account shown on the database record.	Submit D FOC on existing database record to delete TN with different main account and IFOC with appropriate changes on corrective SOIR showing the TN and the main account as the same number.
729	Change failed, completion date conflict with disconnect file	An incoming SOIR contains a completion date that is equal to or earlier than the completion date of the record that has been deleted	Determine if TN is valid and should be changed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If TN is valid submit corrective SOIR with changes showing a completion date that is later than the disconnect date • If the TN is invalid, submit E FOC to delete error record
730	Insert failed, completion date conflict with disconnect file	The incoming insert SOIR is for a TN that has been disconnected and the date on the insert SOIR is the same or prior to the date of the disconnected TN.	Determine if the insert record should have posted prior to the disconnect: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If yes, issue E FOC SOIR to delete the error record • If no, issue resubmit I FOC SOIR with completion date later than disconnect date
731	Change failed, completion date conflict with TN database	The incoming change SOIR has a completion date that is the same or prior to the date of the TN shown in the database	Determine the correct sequence of order activity for the TN: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the error record change is correct, resubmit C FOC SOIR with later completion date • If error record is incorrect, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record
732	Record in disconnect with greater completion date	The incoming change SOIR has a completion date that is the same or prior to the date of the TN in the disconnect file	Determine the correct sequence of order activity for the TN: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the error record change is correct, resubmit C FOC SOIR with later completion date • If error record is incorrect, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
735	Delete failed, record in TN database has same completion	The incoming delete SOIR has a completion date that is the same completion date of the TN in the database	Determine the correct sequence of order activity for the TN: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the error record delete is correct, resubmit D FOC SOIR with later completion date • If error record is incorrect, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record
738	MSAG update caused a TN error	This error is not generated as a result of incoming SOIR but is generated when INTRADO performs a MSAG update that deletes the address shown on the TN record	Contact INTRADO Data Analyst for resolution.
739	Invalid house number format	The incoming SOIR contain special or invalid characters for an alpha or alphanumeric house number	Determine correct house number for TN and resubmit correct SOIR
741	Update not allowed, flagged for PS-ALI / PinPoint	The TN on the incoming SOIR belongs to a TN that is shown for a PS / ALI or PinPoint PBX customer	Submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record
751	Invalid function code	The incoming SOIR contains an invalid function code. Valid function codes are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C = CHANGE • D = DELETE • I = INSERT • E = DELETE ERROR • U = UNLOCK • M = MIGRATE 	Resubmit the SOIR with valid function code
752	Invalid company ID	The incoming SOIR has an invalid NENA ID	Resubmit the SOIR with a valid NENA ID
753	No record exists on unlock	The TN on the incoming unlock SOIR does not exist in the TN database	Determine if the correct TN was sent on the error record: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If correct, submit IFOC SOIR for TN and then resubmit U FOC SOIR • If incorrect, submit E FOC SOIR to delete error record

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
754	No record exists on lock	The TN on the incoming Migrate SOIR does not exist in the database.	Determine if the error record TN is valid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If error record TN is valid, no action is necessary. Processing in the TN database will change the M FOC to an I FOC and insert the record. • If the error record TN is invalid, resubmit a E FOC SOIR to delete the error record
755	Unable to migrate locked record	The TN in the database for the incoming Migrate SOIR shows a locked status	Determine if the error record TN is valid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If valid, contact the donor company to issue an unlock SOIR. The error record will process once the unlock SOIR is received. • If the error record TN is invalid, resubmit a E FOC SOIR to delete the error record
756	Company code mismatch on change	The NENA ID on the incoming C FOC SOIR does not match the NENA ID of the TN record in the database	Determine if the error record NENA ID is valid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If valid, contact the donor company to issue an unlock SOIR and resubmit the SOIR as a M FOC with the appropriate changed data • If the error record NENA ID is invalid, resubmit a E FOC SOIR to delete the error record
757	Company code mismatch on delete	The NENA ID on the incoming D FOC SOIR does not match the NENA ID of the TN record in the database	Determine if the error record NENA ID is valid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If valid, contact the donor company to issue an unlock SOIR and resubmit the SOIR as a M FOC to migrate the record and the a subsequent D FOC to delete the TN record • If the error record NENA ID is invalid, resubmit a E FOC SOIR to delete the error record

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
758	Company code mismatch on unlock	The NENA ID on the incoming U FOC SOIR does not match the NENA ID of the TN record in the database	<p>Determine if the error record NENA ID is valid:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact the donor company to issue an unlock SOIR • Resubmit the SOIR as a M FOC to migrate the record • Resubmit a subsequent U FOC to unlock <p>If the error record NENA ID is invalid, resubmit a E FOC SOIR to delete the error record</p>
760	Lock exceeds number of retries	The 755 error for a Migrate order is unsuccessful for 30 days	No action required. INTRADO will take appropriate action based on dial tone ownership as shown in NPAC. Carrier will receive notification of action taken for the TN on the weekly NPAC Validation report.
762	NENA ID required for U or M FOC SOIR	The incoming U or M SOIR does not have a valid three(3) to five(5) digit NENA ID	Submit E FOC to delete SOIR record from error Resubmit correct U or M SOIR with valid NENA ID
781	Error record does not exist for delete	The incoming E FOC TN cannot be found in the error database	<p>Verify the TN on the E FOC SOIR record matches the TN in the error database:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If TN matches, no action required. The errored record has been previously deleted or resolved. • If TN doesn't match re-submit E FOC SOIR for correct TN
782	Company code mismatch on error delete	The incoming E FOC TN contains a NENA company ID that does not match the NENA ID shown on the TN in the error database	<p>Verify the NENA ID on the E FOC SOIR record matches the TN in the error database:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If NENA ID matches, no action required. The errored record has been deleted or resolved. 2. If NENA ID doesn't match re-submit E FOC SOIR for correct NENA ID

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Table H Error Codes and Corrective Action (continued)

Error Code	Error Message	Occurs when. . .	Corrective Action for . . .
783	Unlock failed; main account has sublines	The incoming U FOC TN is in the database as a main account with other TNs shown as sublines but no U FOC was received on the sublines(Note: Since the main account and Calling number TN are to be the same TN, this error would be received only if the TN in the database had been submitted with a different main account on a previous SOIR.)	There are two possible corrective actions: 1. If all accounts shown with the main account are to be unlocked submit a U FOC for each TN associated with the original main account. 2. If all accounts are not to be unlocked submit a D FOC for the existing subline showing the erroneous main account and then resubmit an I FOC for the TN shown with the Calling number TN as the main account.
792	I FOC record exists with a different Company ID	The TN shown on the I FOC SOIR has a different NENA Company ID than the existing TN in the database	Verify the TN on the errored record: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the TN is correct and is to be migrated, submit an E FOC on the error record SOIR and then resubmit a corrective SOIR with appropriate record changes as a M FOC • If the TN on the error record is incorrect, submit an E FOC to delete the error record.

6.5 Compiled Error Report

As stated earlier in this tab, it is imperative that all errors must be corrected as soon as possible. Until an error is corrected, the information will either be in the database incorrectly or not in the database at all. This could result in E911 calls being directed to the wrong PSAP and having to be transferred to the appropriate PSAP.

In addition to sending the daily errors, a compiled error report will be forwarded to each Carrier on a monthly basis in an effort to ensure that the Carrier is aware of all unresolved daily errors. The error report is sorted in street name order to aid in resolving address errors.

7. PSAP Inquiries

7.1 Overview

E911 is a critical emergency service. Therefore, any address condition that interferes with a caller reaching the appropriate PSAP, and having an accurate display, must be corrected as quickly as possible. For this reason, the E911 Inquiry Form has been developed as a tool for the PSAP attendants to use in reporting address problems encountered with the E911 system.

Wireless Carriers will receive E911 Inquiry Forms from the E911 Customer (county) or INTRADO. Inquiry forms should be logged by the Carrier. A PSAP Inquiry Log form and instructions are provided in this tab. Once the inquiry has been handled, it should be returned to the originator. If the originator of the inquiry is unknown, the form should be returned to INTRADO.

The E911 Inquiry Form is divided into five (5) sections. (sample on the following page)

GENERAL:	information relating to the PSAP attendant preparing the form
DATABASE:	problems relating to the ALI data displayed at the PSAP
REPAIR:	problems relating to the network or equipment
COMMENT:	input of additional pertinent information
ACTION:	response section

7.3 PSAP Inquiry Log

The following is an example of a PSAP Inquiry Log and instructions for completion:

County/City/Parish _____ Month/Year _____				RESPONSE CODE 1 - Trouble Cleared, Enter Date 2 - No Trouble Found 3 - Referred to Repair		
SERIAL NUMBER	DATE RECEIVED	NPA TELEPHONE NUMBER	911 CALL DATE	ACTION TAKEN	DATE RETURNED	RESP CODE
①	②	③	④	⑤	⑥	⑦

Figure 4 PSAP Inquiry Log

7.3.1 Instructions for Completing PSAP Inquiry Log

1.	Serial Number	Enter the serial number assigned by the E911 Customer
2.	Date Received	Enter the date the Inquiry was received
3.	NPA / Telephone Number	Enter the NPA and telephone number being referred on the Inquiry
4.	911 Call Date	Enter the date of the 911 call
5.	Action taken	Enter the action taken to handle the inquiry

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6.	Date Returned	Enter the date the Inquiry was returned to the originator
7.	Response Code	Enter the appropriate response code as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trouble Cleared, Enter date• No trouble found• Referred to repair

7.4 Inquiry Flow

Inquiry Forms that involve the "Database Reason For Inquiry" will be forwarded to the Carrier for investigation and resolution. The inquiry form should be logged by the wireless carrier and the disposition noted. A PSAP Inquiry Log form and instructions are provided in this tab. Once the inquiry has been resolved, it should be returned to the originator. Inquiries received from INTRADO should be returned to:

FAX: 888-778-7876
INTRADO, Inc.
BellSouth NDSC
1601 Dry Creek Drive
Longmont, CO 80503

7.5 Investigation Procedures

7.5.1 ALI Record Not Found

The Carrier should investigate to determine why the pseudo-ANI record is not in the database. If the TN is found on the NRF Report, check to see if the TN is a valid pseudo-ANI number. If valid, a SOIR should be sent to insert the pseudo-ANI TN record. If it is determined that the TN record is in the error file, a corrective SOIR should be sent to resolve the error. Once resolved, check action: "Trouble cleared as of (enter the date) and return the form to the originator.

7.5.2 Wrong ALI Display Of:

The E911 Customer will complete the "Should Be" section detailing correct information on the E911 Inquiry form, when the ALI displays incorrect information. The Carrier should investigate the discrepancies and make the appropriate database updates as described below.

7.5.3 Address — Community — Location

Investigate as necessary with the E911 Customer to determine the correct address including a check for MSAG validity. Update the address information for the pseudo-ANI record by submitting a corrected SOIR with the valid information. Once resolved, check action: "Trouble cleared as of (enter the date)" and return the inquiry to the originator. If no change is needed to the pseudo-ANI TN record, check action: "Investigation Completed. No action required as of (Enter the date)" and return the inquiry to the originator.

7.5.4 ESN

Investigate as necessary with the E911 Customer to determine the correct address. Update the address information for the pseudo-ANI TN record by submitting a corrected SOIR with the valid information. Once resolved, check action: "Trouble cleared as of (enter the date)" and return the inquiry to the originator. If it is determined that the pseudo-ANI address is correct, check action: "Trouble Referred to Other on (Enter date)". These Inquiry Forms should be returned to INTRADO for investigation. If it is determined that a correction in the pseudo-ANI TN record is necessary, INTRADO will contact the wireless carrier for a new SOIR to be sent.

7.5.5 Misroutes

A misroute indicates the E911 call routed to the wrong PSAP. Routing is determined by the ESN associated with the matching address record in the MSAG database. Investigate as necessary with the E911 Customer to determine the correct address. The E911 Customer should be able to assist with identifying the MSAG valid address and the associated ESN to route the calls to the desired PSAP. Update the address information for the pseudo-ANI TN record by submitting a corrected SOIR with the MSAG valid information. Check action: "Trouble cleared as of (enter the date)" and return the inquiry to the originator. If it is determined that the pseudo-ANI address is correct, check action: "Trouble Referred to Other on (Enter date)". These Inquiry Forms should be returned to INTRADO for investigation. If it is determined that a correction in the pseudo-ANI TN record is necessary, INTRADO will contact the wireless carrier for a new SOIR to be sent.

7.6 Blank Forms

Blank Forms may be reproduced locally as needed. An example of a PSAP Inquiry Log follows.

8. No Record Found (NRF) Processing

8.1 Overview

A No Record Found (NRF) condition occurs when a subscriber calls 911 and no database information exists for the cell site pseudo-ANI telephone number. The purpose of an NRF investigation is to:

- identify the reason a NRF occurred
- take corrective action to update the database as necessary

There are several reasons a record may not be available for retrieval:

- the record may be in the Error File
- the record may not have posted between the time the cell site has been "turned up" and the time the record is processed and entered into the database
- the update SOIR file transmission may have failed to complete successfully
- the record may not have been sent to be inserted into the database

It is imperative the Wireless Carriers ensure all appropriate pseudo-ANI records are successfully posted to the E911 database before conducting 911 call testing or turning up service. Wireless 911 calls processed without corresponding pseudo-ANI records in the database will result in NRFs at the PSAP and manual investigation by the INTRADO Data Integrity Unit.

8.2 No Record Found (NRF) Processing

Each PSAP in the region is served by a primary ALI processor and secondary ALI processor. These processors alternate responses to ALI retrieval requests (bids) coming from the PSAP. Therefore, audit data, including NRF data, is found on the audit files from both the primary and secondary ALI processors. This data is combined to produce one NRF report.

8.3 No Record Found (NRF) Report Schedule

The NRF report will be generated every day, Sunday through Saturday. This report provides information about NRFs for investigation. NRF details will appear on the report once the appropriate carrier is identified.

The following schedule has been developed for the generation of daily NRF reports. The NRF report will be faxed daily (Monday-Friday) to the appropriate Carrier or data provider.

Fri / Sat / Sun's NRFs	NRF reports distributed on Monday
Monday's NRFs	NRF report distributed on Tuesday

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Tuesday's NRFs	NRF report distributed on Wednesday
Wednesday's NRFs	NRF report distributed on Thursday
Thursday's NRFs	NRF report distributed on Friday

8.4 No Record Found (NRF) Report Layout

The NRF report is separated by Wireless Carrier and by state and sorted by telephone number. A summary is provided for numbers of NRFs. Following is an example of the NRF report:

DAILY NRF REPORT					
RUN DATE: 2000-04-11 12:05:38			FOR COMPANY: BELLSOUTH MOBILITY		
STATE	TN	BID DATE	COUNTY NAME	PSAP ID	STATUS
FL	(404) 555-1212	2000-04-10 14:32:41 MON	FULTON	C193-GAFULTONCO	OPENED
FL	(770) 529-2345	2000-04-10 15:23:01 MON	DEKALB	C145-GADEKALBCO	PENDERR
TOTAL NRFs:					2

The NRF Report will include:

Company:	Wireless Carrier name in report heading
Run Date:	Date and time of NRF report creation
State:	Two(2) character state identifier
TN:	Pseudo-ANI number, including NPA, which resulted in NRF
Bid Date:	Date, time, and day of week of PSAP query (bid) that resulted in NRF
County Name:	Name of county for the PSAP receiving NRF
PSAP ID:	Two(2) character State identifier, 8 - 10 character PSAP name and four(4) character PSAP ID of agency that received the NRF
Status:	Status of referral: OPENED, PENDERR, REF - LEC
Total NRFs:	Total number of NRFs

8.5 NRF Investigation

The Wireless Carrier will only be required to investigate and correct NRFs that are not found in the E911 database or if the record was in the error file at the time of the 911 call.

The Wireless Carrier should:

- Determine if the TN should be in the E911 database.

- If the TN should be in the database, a SOIR should be submitted to insert the TN record or to resolve an outstanding error in the error file.
- Research why the record was not in the database and take action to prevent further NRF occurrences.
- Advise INTRADO to close the NRF if the TN has been disconnected or not needed in the database

When all NRFs on a report have been resolved, the Wireless carrier should file the NRF report and retain for a period of one(1) year from the date of the 911 call that resulted in the NRF.

Status codes are assigned to each TN on the No Record Found Report. All NRFs are initially assigned as “OPENED”. The status can be changed by the INTRADO Data Analyst as resolutions are completed. “CLOSED” will be assigned as soon as the investigation is complete and the E911 database is updated.

The Analyst will assign “REF — LEC” when the investigation cannot be completed in the time frame which the Analyst began their work. This status would be typical when additional information or action is required from the Carrier.

The STATUS notations are described as:

Pending — In Error File (PENDERR) — Telephone number was found in the error file and has been referred to Wireless Carrier for resolution of the error condition.

Referred to LEC (REF — LEC) — The NRF has been referred to the Carrier for resolution. The Telephone number is not in the TN database or the error file.

If the record is found in the E911 database, the event will be “CLOSED” and the NRF will not be forwarded to the Carrier. If the TN is found in the error file, the status will be changed to “PENDERR” and will be included in the NRF report. The Carrier should resolve the outstanding error to prevent further NRFs from occurring. If the record is not found in the E911 database or error file, the status will be changed to REF — LEC and the report provided to the Carrier for resolution.

9. NENA Company Registration Process

9.1 NENA Company ID Registration Service

Wireless Service Providers and the FCC mandate placed upon them for delivery of location information and the wireless subscribers callback number generates a need in 9-1-1 service for identification of the relationship between the telecommunication company and telephone number. This need is driven by two factors:

Data Base Management

- supports tracking in 9-1-1 data record processing and quality management by both the 9-1-1 service provider and the data source Company
- administration and management of error processes with multiple data providers

Speed of identification by PSAPs

- when a PSAP needs to quickly contact the originating Company for line interrupt, call trace, and other emergency actions, the typical use of the NPA-NXX for Company identification will no longer be effective
- an identifier that can be applied to each telephone number record is needed to support individual telephone number portability
- a Company ID that associates 24 Hour access numbers with each telecommunications company is needed for the above functions

9.2 Purpose of the NENA Company ID Registration Service

A national Company ID for 9-1-1 service will allow the PSAP to identify the Wireless Carrier serving the caller, and to determine the 24 x 7 number of that Carrier for emergency contact needs. In the Company ID database description, (below), each Carrier would identify one ID for each service area supported by the same 24 x 7 contact number. If the Carrier has a national switching center that would take calls from PSAPs for emergency assistance, the Carrier would need only one Company ID.

A national 9-1-1 Company ID registration point was recommended by NENA Standards work groups in 1996, and subsequent work has been directed to making this service a part of the NENA Web Site, for general access. This approach is intended to support standardization of 9-1-1 Company Identifiers, and to supply a single point of administration for the Company ID file content and update.

Use of the Internet allows telecommunications companies, state, county, city, and PSAP to access and use the ID information. In addition, the design of this service allows each telecommunications company to assign multiple IDs, so that individual service areas and 24 hour contact information can be identified.

Note: Use of the previously established NECA code was considered for the above functions. However, NECA codes are numeric and not as immediately interpretable as are alpha IDs. In addition, NECA codes do not apply to certain types of 9-1-1 call providing entities, such as resellers and PBX operators, that are needed in 9-1-1 applications.

9.3 Use of the Service

For your convenience, NENA has created an online Company Identifier Data Base Input Form that you can either print out and fill in or you can complete it online, hit the submit button, and you will be invoiced for the fee. The NENA Web page address is <http://www.nena9-1-1.org/companyid>. [Click here to access website](#)

If you choose to print it out and fill it in, please send it or fax it to the address / fax below:

FAX: 614-933-0911

Address: 422 Beecher Road, Columbus, OH 43230

An annual fee of \$100 will apply for each ID registered by NENA. It is recommended that the Company Identifier be one that a public safety telecommunicator can readily interpret. A 3-5 character contracted spelling of the Company name is usually possible. The Company's choice for an Identifier is likely to be accepted by NENA, provided that it is not already registered by another Company.

9.4 Instructions

The chosen Company ID code structure should be alpha ONLY using upper case characters. All IDs in the data base must be unique and the must be limited to 3-5 characters.

The 24 hour by 7 day telephone number should be a number that will allow the safety agencies to contact the Carrier's switching support center for line interrupts, call traces, or other emergency contact reasons.

The area covered by the 24 x 7 number may be national, regional, a single state, or other combinations. Please concisely indicate coverage area in the "Area Supported" field by the use of 2-character state abbreviations, or "ALL" to indicate all US States. This will allow searching the "Area Supported" field for those Companies registered in a given area.

Please call NENA at 800-332-39011 if you have any questions.

9.4.1 Input Form

Company Identifier Data Base

INPUT FORM

Company Identifier Data Base

Check One: [] New CID, or [] Update to existing CID

Company Identifier (5 Alpha, minimum 3)

Company Name (40)

Company Street Address (64)

Company City (32)

Company State (2)

Company Zip (10)

24 Hour x 7 Day TN (12) Access number for Safety Agencies to contact switching center

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Area Supported by 24 hr TN (64) 2 character state names, or other area

Type of Local Service (10) Examples: Facility, Reseller, PBX, etc.

Administrative Contact Name * (32)

Contact Title * (40)

Contact Phone Number * (12)

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Contact Fax Number * (12)

 - -

Submitted by: (your name)

* These are administrative contacts for the database content.

Fax or mail completed form to NENA Fax: 614-933-0911 Address: 422 Beecher Rd, Columbus, OH 43230

Figure 6 Input Form

10. Reconciliation

10.1 Overview

Wireless Carriers or their agents are granted an extract of their E9-1-1 data annually for database reconciliation. The BellSouth Implementation Manager offering a yearly reconciliation of data sends a letter and extract request form to each company in the first quarter of the year. This document outlines the procedures used to request a data extract for the purpose of reconciliation.

10.2 Notification and Scheduling

Complete the "9-1-1 Database Reconciliation Extract Request" form that was attached to the annual letter and return it to the INTRADO Continuous Improvement Analyst via mail or fax. The INTRADO Continuous Improvement Analyst will contact you and negotiate an extract date.

10.3

The Wireless Carrier or their agent is responsible for:

- Requesting the Data Extract.
- Reconciling their data by comparing the extract file with data currently maintained within their carrier database.
- Sending updates as required to the E9-1-1 database via Service Order Interface (SOI)

INTRADO is responsible for:

- Scheduling Data Extracts.
- Determining Extract dates.

A. BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1/SS7 Interconnection Guide

A.1 BellSouth Wireless E-9-1-1/SS7 Interconnection Guide

This document is intended to provide an explanation of how SS7/ISUP trunks can be used for delivery of Wireless E9-1-1 calls in the BellSouth E9-1-1 serving area.

NOTE: The need to provide and maintain the reliability and integrity of E9-1-1 service is a top priority. Therefore, deployment/implementation of SS7/ISUP trunking for E9-1-1 is subject to due date negotiation between BellSouth and any interconnection customer. The migration onto this newer signaling technology cannot be subject to the Customer Desired Due Date (CDDD) processes.

NOTE: Failure to deploy SS7/ISUP signaling correctly for Wireless E9-1-1 may result in significant service interruptions or undesirable anomalies, including but not limited to a total inability to complete the call.

NOTE: This document uses acronyms and terms as described in the NENA Master Glossary of E9-1-1 Terms available at <http://www.nena9-1-1.org> in the NENA Recommended Technical Standards section. Click [here](#) to access this information.

NOTE: All interconnecting carriers need to be familiar with and in compliance with TR 73554 Issue D, December 2002 (or later), BST GUIDELINES TO TECHNICAL PUBLICATION GR-905-CORE. The BST CCS Network has its own particular architectural variations and technological capabilities. TR 73554 is a supplement to GR-905.) TR 73554 is available through the appropriate BellSouth Interconnection Services Account Representative.

Before any new device is connected to the BellSouth Common Channel Signaling Network (CCSN) it must meet the following two requirements:

1. It must have undergone and passed MTP Level 2 and Level 3 protocol testing by Telcordia or other suitable independent lab testing facility
2. It must have undergone and passed interoperability testing at the Bellsouth Technology Assessment Center (BTAC) in Birmingham

This does not include Level 3 protocol testing on new links from known switch types (#5ESS, DMS100, etc.). SS7 is a mature technology and, over the years, there have been only rare occasions of mismatches at the Level 3 protocol. These differences have typically been non-traffic affecting differences in timer settings. For these reasons BellSouth has taken the position that the continued investment in time and Level 3 protocol test equipment would be imprudent. However, any other type of devices (e.g., PBXs, VMS host machines, packet switching devices, etc.) that are not routinely connected to the network, will be asked to undergo lab testing with a "standards" lab such as Telcordia or BTAC. We acknowledge there may be some carriers who don't undergo such lab testing, and we reserve the right to remove them from our CCSN without prior notice if their equipment causes us or any of our customers a problem.

A.2 Executive Summary

BellSouth provides Wireless Carriers with connectivity to its Enhanced 9-1-1 Selective Routing network so they may meet their (FCC mandated) responsibility to provide Enhanced 9-1-1 service to their customers.

NENA (National Emergency Number Association) has published a Technical Information Document: "NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity." (available at: http://www.nena9-1-1.org/9-1-1TechStandards/tech_info_docs.htm). That document identifies many of the possible call setup parameter options that can occur within the enhanced 9-1-1 network on an SS7/ISUP trunk between a Wireless Service Provider's MSC and an Enhanced 9-1-1 selective router. The use of SS7 signaling greatly reduces post dial delay and also provides more reliable ANI delivery when compared to traditional MF signaling. (Throughout this document the term SS7 is to be construed to mean SS7/ISUP signaling.)

As a high level statement, the intent of this BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1/SS7 Interconnection Guide is to list the call setup parameters shown in the NENA 05-501 TID that are supported by BellSouth, so wireless carriers can choose the one(s) that best meet their needs.

This documentation will identify, to the Wireless Service Provider, the parameters they need to populate in their 9-1-1 Signaling System #7 Initial Address Message (SS7 IAM) to provide Phase 1 or Phase 2 E9-1-1 service to their customers.

NOTE: Wireless service providers who desire to take advantage of the SS7 signaling format for E9-1-1 service should contact their BellSouth Account Representative to begin a test and installation plan or to discuss technical information.

This document identifies only SS7 signaling options supported for E9-1-1 trunk interconnection. SS7 interconnection for E9-1-1 is a service choice made by the wireless carrier, and does not limit, reduce, or eliminate the current option to deliver E9-1-1 calls to BellSouth using traditional CAMA-MF or FG-D signaling protocols.

A.2.1 Identified Options:

Section 4 of the NENA 05-501 document describes the various combinations of the call setup parameters. Three Call Signaling Scenarios representing the four common Wireless E9-1-1 Solutions defined in Section 3 of the NENA 05-501 TID are as follows:

- Call Signaling Scenario (1) ESRK delivery
- Call Scenario 2, CBN and ESRD Delivery - WITHOUT a hybrid
- Call Scenario 2, CBN and ESRD Delivery - WITH a hybrid
- Call Signaling Scenario (3) CBN, ESRD, and GLP (Geodetic Location Parameter) delivery

NOTE: This BellSouth document further clarifies those NENA 05-501 descriptions by distinguishing between Call Signaling Scenario (2) CBN and ESRD Delivery without a hybrid architecture at the SR; and Call Signaling Scenario (2) CBN and ESRD Delivery WITH a hybrid architecture at the SR. The NENA 05-501 authors elected to allow companies (like BellSouth) who offer a hybrid solution to define their hybrid solution in their own documents. This document does that for BellSouth's hybrid offering.

A.2.1.1 Call Scenario 1, ESRK Delivery

BellSouth supports the following options as listed in table 4-1 (ESRK Delivery) in "NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity":

A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, and B3 are supported using the E911_STD trunk options on the BellSouth Nortel DMS E9-1-1 Tandem (Referred to as NDET throughout this document.). For all practical purposes these calls appear to be like wireline calls at the NDET.

A.2.1.2 Call Scenario 2, CBN and ESRD Delivery - WITHOUT a hybrid: (WITHOUT a hybrid architecture at the Selective Router)

BellSouth supports the following options as listed in table 4-2 (CBN and ESRD Delivery) in "NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity": A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2, D1, D2 are supported using the E911_STD or WRLS_STD trunk options on the BellSouth NDET. The strongly preferred, and recommended, trunk option is WRLS_STD because it is seen as the standard for wireless E9-1-1 calls.

A3, B3, C3, D3 are supported using the E911_STD trunk option only.

E1, E2, F1, F2, G1, G2, H1, H2, I1, I2, J1, J2, K1, K2, L1, L2 are supported using ONLY the WRLS_CLD option on the NDET.

Option I3 is **NOT SUPPORTED** on the NDET platform.

NOTE: Call scenario 2 is sometimes called "20 digits to the PSAP". In Phase 1 it was known as Callpath Associated Signaling (CAS). In Phase 2 (according to J-STD-036-A) it is known as Non-Callpath Associated Signaling (NCAS).

A.2.1.3 Call Scenario 2, CBN and ESRD Delivery - WITH a hybrid: (WITH a hybrid architecture at the Selective Router)

BellSouth supports the following options as listed in table 4-2 (CBN and ESRD Delivery) in "NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity": A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2, D1, D2 are supported using the E911_STD or WRLS_STD trunk options on the BellSouth NDET. The strongly preferred, and recommended, trunk option is WRLS_STD because it is seen as the standard for wireless E9-1-1 calls.

A3, B3, C3, D3 are supported using the E911_STD trunk option only.

E1, E2, F1, F2, G1, G2, H1, H2, I1, I2, J1, J2, K1, K2, L1, L2 are supported using ONLY the WRLS_CLD option on the NDET.

Option I3 is **NOT SUPPORTED** on the NDET platform.

NOTE: Call scenario 2 is sometimes called "20 digits to the PSAP". In Phase 1 it was known as Callpath Associated Signaling (CAS). In Phase 2 (according to J-STD-036-A) it is known as Non-Callpath Associated Signaling (NCAS).

NOTE: Call Scenario 2, CBN and ESRD Delivery - WITH a hybrid is available on ALL of BellSouth's (64) NDETs.

A.2.1.4 Call Scenario 3, CBN, ESRD and GLP Delivery: (GLP = Geodetic Location Parameter)

BellSouth does not support this method at this time due to the inability of the selective router platform and the MSC platforms to use and/or route on the GLP, or to support ISDN PSAPs in an industry standard manner.

A.2.2 Database Steering Options

The NENA 05-501 document also defines data base steering options that are used to interconnect the wireless carrier's network with the BellSouth Enhanced 9-1-1 ALI Database systems. BellSouth will support the data steering options referred to as "E2" and "E2+", as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference TR 73610, and in the Intrado technical document "BellSouth SR/ALI to MPC Interface Specifications for TCP/IP Implementation of TIA/EIA/J-STD-036 E2" (Contact Intrado for the latest issue supported on BellSouth ALI Data Base systems).

WARNING

The MOST IMPORTANT thing this document can relay is the following:
IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT ALL PARTIES UNDERSTAND WHAT IS REQUIRED TO MAKE WIRELESS E9-1-1 WORK PROPERLY IN AN SS7/ISUP ENVIRONMENT.
Any questions or doubts that the WSPs Network/Translations Engineer may have, should be brought to the attention of BellSouth BEFORE proceeding with any provisioning steps. The WSPs BellSouth Account Representative will arrange to get answers to any questions from the appropriate BellSouth Network/Translations E9-1-1 personnel.
The WSP (or their agent) must have the ALI database pre-populated with records matching the pANIs (ESRD/ESRK) they will use, or the call will default route, and the PSAP will receive a "no record found" rather than the expected location information.
Failure to deploy SS7/ISUP signaling correctly for Wireless E9-1-1 may result in significant service interruptions or undesirable anomalies, including but not limited to, a total inability to complete the call.

A.3 Scope and introductory text

A.3.1 Wireless E9-1-1 Service Introduction

Wireless E9-1-1 service enables Wireless Service Providers (referred to as WSP or WSPs throughout this document) to comply with the FCC mandate for providing an Enhanced 9-1-1 service to wireless users that is somewhat equivalent to the service provided to landline users. FCC Docket 94-102 requires WSPs to make E9-1-1 service available in two phases. The first phase of 94-102 (Phase I, initially effective April 1, 1998) requires each WSP to provide a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) with the caller's Call Back Number (CBN), and a "general" location of the caller equivalent to the serving cell site or sector, but only if the PSAP requests Phase I service in writing and is capable of receiving and utilizing the data.

That general location is represented by a 10 digit number generally known as a pseudoANI (pANI), but also known as Emergency Services Routing Digits (ESRD) or Emergency Services Routing Key (ESRK) based on the type of wireless E9-1-1 solution in use. From the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem's point of

view, this general location number is simply used to determine which PSAP should receive the call. This document will use the term pANI generically, except where it is more appropriate to use ESRD or ESRK. Other industry documents specify which precise term is applicable for different situations, but that distinction is beyond the scope or intention of this document.

The second phase of 94-102 (Phase II, initially scheduled to begin October 1, 2001) requires each WSP to be able to deliver a wireless 9-1-1 call with Phase I requirements, plus longitude and latitude coordinates of the caller, accurate to within 150 meters or less, depending on the technology used for location determination. Originally, WSPs were to begin to make wireless Phase II available by October 1, 2001 to qualified PSAPs that requested Phase II service by April 1, 2001. After April 1, 2001, the WSPs were to begin to make Phase II available to qualified PSAPs within six months of a receiving their request for Phase II service. The FCC modified the original start date in late 2001. Generally speaking, Phase 2 began in late 2002, and it is expected to roll out continually until ubiquitous coverage is provided across all of the USA.

The "BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1 Solution" (aka: WLS911) currently supports Phase I service by allowing a wireless carrier to send the caller's CBN and the pANI directly to a BellSouth Nortel DMS E9-1-1 Tandem switch (NDET) using dedicated FG-D Multi-Frequency signaling trunks. This Solution can also serve as the underlying architecture to support a WSP in becoming Phase 2 compliant, if they chose to deploy their own architecture in a manner that accommodates delivery of longitude and latitude coordinates to a PSAP through the BellSouth ALI database, once they are obtained over an "E2" interface, as described in J-STD-036-A (BellSouth will also support the modification of E2 generally known as E2+).

In the BellSouth hybrid scenario the CBN and pANI would continue to be transported through the BellSouth E9-1-1 Network to the PSAP using WLS911, and the longitude and latitude coordinates would be obtained through the BellSouth ALI database, across an E2 interface provided by the WSP. BellSouth does not provide the E2 interface transport facilities. There are also other technical/architectural "Solutions" available in the industry for a WSP to become Phase 1 and/or Phase 2 compliant. Those solutions are beyond the scope of this document, but BellSouth does permit such alternative Solutions to be used via our Network.

NOTE: J-STD-036-A describes Phase II standards in greater detail. BellSouth will support E2 functionality in the manner fully described in the Intrado document "BellSouth SR/ALI to MPC Interface Specifications for TCP/IP Implementation of TIA/EIA/J-STD-036 E2" (Contact Intrado for the latest issue supported on BellSouth ALI Data Base systems).

Partly due to the E9-1-1 industry's migration into Wireless Phase II, and also due to other recent and future (anticipated) technological developments in the E9-1-1 industry in general, BellSouth will begin (in 2004) to allow the use of Common Channel Signaling (CCS) technology to support Wireless E9-1-1 service.

NOTE: This capability will be thoroughly tested in each instance before it is made available for use.

A.4 Reason for Revision

If this document is revised, this section will summarize the change(s).

A.5 Organization of this Document

This document is to be used in conjunction with the following publications:

- TR 73554 Issue D, December 2002 (or later), BST GUIDELINES TO TECHNICAL PUBLICATION GR-905-CORE (Telcordia document GR-905-CORE specifies the interfaces required to interconnect out-of-band Common Channel Signaling (CCS) networks that utilize the Signaling System Number 7 (SS7) protocol provided by a different CCS Network. The BST CCS Network will have its own particular architectural variations and technological capabilities. Therefore, the intent of the TR 73554 is to supplement GR-905.)
- NENA 05-501, NENA Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity, Original Issue, October 2002. The NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document (TID) provides a reference for Wireless Service Providers (WSP) on the basics of E9-1-1 SS7 translations to the Selective Router (SR). It was issued to address the obvious need for guidance on SS7 translations between the MSC and the SR. It presents a broad view of the E9-1-1 related SS7 translations that exist today (2002), and possible ones for the future.

NOTE: This BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1/SS7 Interconnection Guide document references configurations detailed in the NENA 05-501 SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity TID. The two documents should be used together to gain a more clear understanding of the requirements surrounding using SS7/ISUP supported trunking for wireless E9-1-1 in BellSouth's E9-1-1 serving area.

- J-STD-036-A Enhanced Wireless 9-1-1 Phase 2. This Joint Standard has been issued and approved by the Telecommunications Industry Association and the Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions, June 2002. This joint standard defines the messaging required to support information transfer to identify and locate wireless emergency services callers.
- NENA 03-006, RECOMMENDED STANDARDS FOR E9-1-1 CALL CONGESTION MANAGEMENT. This NENA document provides additional details regarding how to establish the proper quantity of Wireless trunks into an E9-1-1 Tandem based on generally accepted "best practices".
- "BellSouth SR/ALI to MPC Interface Specifications for TCP/IP Implementation of TIA/EIA/J-STD-036 E2" (Contact Intrado for the latest issue supported on BellSouth ALI Data Base systems). This is an Intrado document that fully describes the Intrado SR/ALI E2 messaging interface. **This is the interface that BellSouth is using!**

Specific "Wireless E9-1-1" interconnection requirements for the CCS network interconnection architecture and the interface protocol for call setup are defined in **this** BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1/SS7 Interconnection Guide document. **This** document will define the interconnection requirements in the BellSouth E9-1-1 Network when using SS7/ISUP in concert with one of the various Wireless E9-1-1 options identified in J STD-036-A, and in the NENA 05-501 and 03-006 documents.

The **MOST IMPORTANT** thing **this** document can relay is the following:

IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT ALL PARTIES UNDERSTAND WHAT IS REQUIRED TO MAKE WIRELESS E9-1-1 WORK PROPERLY IN AN SS7/ISUP ENVIRONMENT. Any **questions** or **doubts** that the WSPs Network/Translations Engineer may have, should be brought to the attention of BellSouth **BEFORE** proceeding with any provisioning steps. The WSPs BellSouth Account Representative will arrange to get answers to any questions from the appropriate BellSouth Network/Translations E9-1-1 personnel.

The WSP (or their agent) must have the ALI database pre-populated with records matching the pANIs (ESRD/ESRK) they will use, or the call will default route, and the PSAP will receive a "no record found" rather than the expected location information.

A.6 Wireless CCS Network Interconnection Architecture

A.6.1 General Interconnection Information

Signaling System 7 - Common Channel Signaling using ISDN User Part protocol (SS7/ISUP) for Wireless E9-1-1 is only supported for Type 2C trunks (interconnected directly to a BellSouth E9-1-1 tandem switch) as defined in GR-145-CORE. The Type 2C trunks shall be dedicated for Wireless E9-1-1 traffic. There will always be a minimum of two trunks per trunk group. Ideally, they should be provisioned in a diverse manner so that a single network fault or incident would not render both trunks inoperable. In sizing the new SS7/ISUP TG, Wireless Network Planners should build toward providing a P.01 Grade Of Service (GOS) (see NOTE below).

NOTE:

The NENA document, NENA 03-006, RECOMMENDED PROCEDURES FOR E9-1-1 CALL CONGESTION MANAGEMENT provides additional details regarding how to establish the proper quantity of Wireless trunks into an E9-1-1 Tandem based on generally accepted "best practices". (03-006 is pending publication on the NENA web site at <http://www.nena9-1-1.org> as of March 25, 2003)

If a WSP elects to provide direct MF trunks to be used as backup in the event of an SS7 failure, BellSouth can support such an arrangement. If MF backup is used, the quantity of MF trunks will be determined by Wireless Network Planning practices, but in no case will it be less than two trunk members per Trunk Group (TG). Since CAMA-MF only delivers a 7 digit pANI, CAMA-MF Trunk Groups are to be provisioned on a per NPA basis. FG-D MF signaling allows for delivery of a full 10 digit pANI number, along with a full 10 digit CBN, so FG-D MF Trunk Groups can be provisioned to carry multiple NPAs as long as all default routed calls should route to the same PSAP. CAMA-MF requires NPA specific trunk groups so the NDET can "build" a 10 digit pANI upon receipt of only 7 digits across the NPA specific trunk group.

All trunk groups (primary and back-up) must take into account that only ONE default PSAP can be associated with an E9-1-1 Trunk Group. It is imperative that the Wireless Network Planner keep this in mind when determining how many trunk groups will be needed for service in any given area.

THAT DECISION CAN HAVE SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON PSAPs.

As mentioned above, when sizing the new SS7/ISUP TG, Wireless Network Planners should build toward providing a P.01 GOS. The size of the backup MF TGs shall be a minimum of two, but otherwise may not necessarily achieve a P.01 GOS, since they are not expected to be frequently called upon. They are after all - ONLY INTENDED FOR BACKUP!

A.6.2 Wireless Phase 1 vs. Phase 2

It is VERY important that all parties understand that differences of opinion (currently) exist in regard to the meaning of certain terms used in the Wireless E9-1-1 industry at large. Most are just slight nuance differences, but if two or more people use the same term to mean different things it causes confusion. This section will attempt to clarify how BellSouth interprets certain Phase 1 and Phase 2 terms, especially in

regard to how they are used in this document. There may be significant impact to Wireless E9-1-1 service if the Wireless Engineer fails to understand these differences during establishment of initial interconnection using SS7/ISUP for wireless E9-1-1.

Generally speaking, the term CAS (Callpath Associated Signaling) means the same thing in Wireless Phase 1 and Phase 2. In each case, ALL of the FCC mandated data is carried directly from the WSPs MSC through the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem to the PSAP. In Phase 1, CAS includes two (significant) data elements, the CBN and the pANI. In Phase 2, CAS includes those two elements as well as the longitude/latitude coordinates of the caller (aka: x, y) when they dialed 9-1-1 on their wireless device. Phase 2 CAS requires SS7/ISUP between the MSC and the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem, and ISDN to the PSAP. As of 3Q2002 Phase 2 CAS is NOT supported in BellSouth. (ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for CAS are fully described in J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.3)

In Phase 1, NCAS includes two (significant) data elements: the pANI and the CBN. In Phase 1 NCAS, ONLY the pANI is sent directly from the WSPs MSC through the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem to the PSAP (with the callpath). The CBN is added to the existing pANI record in the BellSouth ALI-DB by the WSP or their agent during call setup, using an out-of-band signaling path (hence NCAS). The updated pANI ALI record including the CBN & cell/sector address data is delivered to the PSAP through the BellSouth ALI database using the BellSouth Standard ALI format. (The various NCAS architectures are beyond the scope of this document. See J-STD-034 and each NCAS vendor's own documents for details.)

In Phase 2, NCAS includes those same two (significant) data elements as well as the longitude/latitude coordinates of the caller when they dialed 9-1-1 on their wireless device (and potentially can include updated data upon demand). However, in Phase 2, NCAS (as defined in J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2) includes BOTH the CBN and the pANI being sent directly from the WSPs MSC through the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem to the PSAP. In this instance the PSAP obtains the longitude/latitude coordinates through the BellSouth ALI database (using the BellSouth Extended ALI format) via the WSPs E2 interface. (The various E2 interface architectures are beyond the scope of this document. See J-STD-036-A and Intrado's "BellSouth SR/ALI to MPC Interface Specifications for TCP/IP Implementation of TIA/EIA/J-STD-036 E2" for details).

In Phase 2 there is an alternative method of data delivery that J-STD-036-A refers to as Wireline Compatibility Mode (WCM), which ONLY sends the pANI (ESRK) directly from the WSPs MSC through the BellSouth E9-1-1 Tandem to the PSAP (Sounds like Phase 1 NCAS doesn't it? Hence the terminology confusion!). In WCM the CBN and the longitude/latitude coordinates are added to an existing pANI record in the BellSouth ALI-DB during the call by the WSP or their agent using an out-of-band signaling path defined as an E2 interface. An updated Phase 2 compliant pANI ALI record including the CBN, cell/sector address data and longitude/latitude coordinates is delivered to the PSAP through the BellSouth ALI database using the BellSouth Extended ALI response format. If the x, y coordinates of the caller are unknown at the time the updated pANI ALI record is created, the WSP (or their agent) is expected to fall back to a Phase 1 compliant record that would include the CBN & cell/sector address data. (The E2 interface architecture and operations are beyond the scope of this document. See J-STD-036-A, and Intrado's "BellSouth SR/ALI to MPC Interface Specifications for TCP/IP Implementation of TIA/EIA/J-STD-036 E2" for details.)

In BellSouth there is another alternative method of data delivery that is structured upon the J-STD-036-A NCAS Solution in Phase 2, or on J-STD-034 CAS in Phase 1. In either case it is a 20 digits to the PSAP type solution. However, this 20 digit solution can be used between the MSC and the NDET even if the PSAP is not capable of receiving 20 digits from the NDET. This is accomplished by using the BellSouth

Wireless E9-1-1 Solution (WLS911), a Hybrid architecture functional in both Phase 1 and Phase 2 environments. WSPs should see their BellSouth account team for details on how the WLS911 Solution may be of value in their overall architecture plans.

A.7 Interface Protocol for Wireless Call Setup when using SS7/ISUP signaling.

A WSP choosing to interconnect with SS7 trunks using ISUP signaling in support of delivery of Wireless E9-1-1 calls shall comply with one of the following three signaling options available in the BellSouth E9-1-1 Network. On the BellSouth NDET switches the options are known as "WRLS_STD" or "WRLS_CLD" or "E911_STD". Any one of these three can be supported on the BellSouth NDET switches on a per incoming trunk group basis. **(They would of course be known by other nomenclature designations on various Wireless switches.)**

NOTE: The WRLS_STD signaling option is used when the pANI is located in the Generic Digits (GDP) Parameter. Calling Party Number is used as the callback number. Charge Number is ignored by the NDET. This is the industry standard for wireless calls on the NDET.

The WRLS_CLD signaling option is used when the pANI is located in the Called Party Number parameter, instead of the digits 9-1-1. Calling Party Number is used as the callback number. Charge Number is ignored by the NDET. Generic Digits (GDP) Parameter **IS NOT ALLOWED!**

Depending on which signaling option is chosen, the WSP will send an Initial Address Message (IAM) containing the following parameters when sending a wireless E9-1-1 call to a BellSouth E9-1-1 tandem:

- Calling Party Number Parameter
- Called Party Number Parameter
- Generic Digits (GDP) Parameter (**NOT allowed if the WSP uses WRLS_CLD**)
- Charge Number Parameter

NOTE: Although Charge Number Parameter is allowed as an optional parameter, it is ignored by the NDET when using either of the WRLS_XXX signaling options.

- Calling Party Category Parameter
- Originating Line Information Parameter Calling Party Number Parameter

A.7.1 Calling Party Number

The Calling Party Number parameter value is variable depending upon which trunk group signaling option is being used. If the intention is to achieve Wireline Compatibility Mode (using E911_STD), the Calling Party Number parameter shall contain the pANI that will be used for Selective Routing, and will be sent to the PSAP to retrieve additional call data via the ALI database path. Otherwise, in either of the WRLS_XXX signaling options the Calling Party Number parameter shall contain the caller's CBN (or a number being used as a substitute when the CBN is unknown).

The wireless carrier shall specify the contents of the Calling Party Number (i.e., the CBN or a pANI) at the time the trunk group is ordered (via their BellSouth account team using form RF-1004-WS). Once a trunk group is provisioned, the wireless carrier shall adhere to their choice (i.e., a trunk cannot signal the CBN for one call and a pANI for another call).

A.7.2 Calling Party Number Parameter

Calling Party Number is a required parameter in the IAM. The Called Party Number parameter value is variable depending upon which trunk group signaling option is being used. In any case it shall either contain the digits "911" or a pANI.

The Called Party Number parameter includes the digits "911" when the pANI is provided in the Generic Digits Parameter (WRLS_STD signaling option), or when the Calling Party Number contains the pANI (E911_STD for Wireline Compatibility Mode).

The Called Party Number parameter contains the pANI when the Generic Digits Parameter is not used, but Wireline Compatibility Mode is not desired (WRLS_CLD signaling option). The need to use WRLS_CLD may be a result of a situation where the WSP switch cannot support a GDP parameter. In that case the pANI would appear in the Called Party Number parameter. If a WSP switch can support a GDP, and if Wireline Compatibility Mode is not desired, then the GDP is the recommended place to put the pANI (WRLS_STD signaling option).

The wireless carrier shall specify the contents of the Called Party Number (i.e., the digits "911" or a pANI) at the time the trunk group is ordered (via their BellSouth account team using form RF-1004-WS). Once a trunk group is provisioned, the wireless carrier shall adhere to their choice (i.e., a trunk cannot signal the digits "911" for one call and a pANI for another call).

Called Party Number is a required parameter in the IAM.

A.7.3 Generic Digits Parameter & GDP Type

The Generic Digits Parameter (if required) shall contain a pANI. The "type of digits" field in the Generic Digits Parameter shall be coded 01101 (decimal 13) for cell site and sector identification. A Generic Digits Parameter is **conditionally required** in the IAM.

A Generic Digits Parameter shall be included in the IAM when a wireless carrier chooses to send the digits "911" in the Called Party Number parameter (WRLS_STD signaling option). If a WSP switch can support a GDP, and if Wireline Compatibility Mode is not desired, then the GDP is the recommended place to put the pANI.

A GDP shall NOT be included in the IAM if the Calling Party Number or the Called Party Number parameter contains the pANI.

The wireless carrier shall specify whether a Generic Digits Parameter will be included in the IAM at the time the trunk group is ordered (via their BellSouth account team using form RF-1004-WS). Once a trunk group is provisioned, the wireless carrier shall adhere to their choice (i.e., a trunk cannot include a GDP for one call and not for another call).

Generic Digits Parameter is a **conditionally required** parameter in the IAM.

In all cases where GDP is used, "type of digits" must equal "13". Delivery of a pANI in a GDP that isn't type 13 will not work as intended.

A.7.4 Charge Number Parameter

If present, the Charge Number parameter shall contain the caller's CBN or the non-dialable callback number, or in Wireline Compatibility Mode it shall contain the pANI. Charge Number is an optional parameter in the IAM.

Charge Number is an optional parameter in the IAM.

NOTE: Charge Number Parameter is ignored by the NDET when using either of the WRLS_ xxx signaling options.)

A.7.5 Calling Party Category Parameter (CPC, aka: CPCat)

The Calling Party Category parameter shall be coded as 11100000 (decimal 224) for "emergency service call".

Calling Party Category is a required parameter in the IAM.

NOTE:

The Calling Party Category parameter encoding "emergency service call" is not required on all E9-1-1 tandem switches and may be waived in some instances. WSPs seeking to waive this requirement should consult their BellSouth representative. See Attachment "A" for details

A.7.6 Originating Line Information Parameter

For call scenarios #2, and #3 (with or without a hybrid architecture at the Selective Router), the Originating Line Information parameter shall be coded either as 00111101 (decimal 61) for "cellular services (type1)," 00111110 (decimal 62) for "cellular services (type2)," or 00111111 (decimal 63) for "cellular services (roaming)." The OLI parameter carries the II digits defined by the NANP administrator. The OLI parameter and the II values can be found in T1.113 (ANSI ISUP standard). Telcordia has also listed the wireless II values (61, 62, and 63) in the E9-1-1 SS7 generic requirements document GR-2956.

For call scenario #1, (WCM) the Originating Line Information parameter shall be coded either as 00 (POTS).

[Click here to view call scenarios.](#)

Originating Line Information is a required parameter in the IAM.

The Originating Line Information parameter is not required on all E9-1-1 tandem switches and may be waived in some instances.

NOTE:

WSPs seeking to waive this requirement should consult their BellSouth representative. See Attachment "A" for details. BellSouth NDET's running software NA016 or higher will require the OLI parameter IF AIN OFF-BOARD SELECTIVE ROUTING IS BEING USED.

A.8 Cross Reference Tables to J-STD-036-A

The intention of this section is to provide a method for a WSP to assess which type of BellSouth supported SS7/ISUP signaling option can best fit their needs. Each decision MUST take into account the capability of the WSPs MSC and the capability of the PSAP CPE, and may be impacted by the type of ALI steering options involved.

The following pages in this section represent the different interconnection scenarios that are described in J-STD-036-A for Wireless E9-1-1 Phase 2.

A.8.1 Wireline Compatibility Mode (NDET uses signaling option E911_STD)

If the WSP will be using a Wireless E9-1-1 Phase 1 Non Callpath Associated Signaling (NCAS) Solution, as described in J-STD-034 or Wireless E9-1-1 Phase 2 Wireline Compatibility Mode, as described in J-STD-036-A to deliver the Call Back Number (CBN) and/or x, y coordinates to the PSAP via the ALI database, Table "A" below describes an acceptable interconnection method (known as Wireline Compatibility Mode in , as described in J-STD-036-A). In this interconnection method ONLY the pANI is sent into the BellSouth NDET, directly from the WSPs MSC over dedicated trunks. The pANI is used by the NDET for selective routing, and then the pANI is sent to the PSAP the same way ANI would be on a landline call. That may be as an 8 or 10 digit number, depending on the capability of the PSAP CPE.

The NCAS or WCM Solution provider is expected to create a record in the BellSouth ALI database that will contain the CBN (among other data normally included by the NCAS provider, which may or may not also include Phase 2 data). That activity is beyond the scope of this document.

Extracted in part from Annex D: of J-STD-036-A, clarified for use in BellSouth.

Table "A" ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for Wireline Compatibility Mode (ESRK).

In this mode only the ESRK is sent as the ANI over dedicated trunks to the Selective Router because the trunk between the Selective Router and the PSAP supports transport of only one 7/10 digit number.

Orreq Parameters	ISUP Parameters	Value
Digits(Dialed)	Called party number	(911) (see Note 1 below)
MDN (aka: CBN)	Calling party number (see Note 2 below)	ESRK
DMH_BillingDigits	Charge Number (see Note 2 below)	ESRK
GenericDigits	Generic digits parameter (see Note 3 below)	NOT ALLOWED (see Note 3 below)
GeographicPosition	Calling geodetic location	n/a
n/a	Originating Line Information (OLI)	If included, use value 00 (POTS)

NOTES:

1. For an ESC, the ISUP Called Party Number parameter shall only be populated with the digit value "911".
2. The Calling Party Number MUST be included in the IAM message. The Charge Number may also be included in the IAM, but if so it MUST be the SAME as the Calling Party Number.
3. The Generic digits parameter SHALL NOT be included in the IAM.

A.8.2 ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for NCAS (NDET uses signaling option WRLS_STD, because MSC can support GDP)

(NCAS as described in J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2)

As this (NDET) signaling option's name implies, this should only be used on trunks handling wireless traffic exclusively, and is the industry standard for wireless calls (on an NDET). This option uses the pANI in the Generic Digits parameter to route the call and uses the Calling Party Number Parameter as the callback number. If the WSP will be using a Non Callpath Associated Signaling (NCAS) Solution (as described in J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2) that intends to deliver the Call Back Number (CBN) and the pANI to the PSAP via the trunk between the Selective Router and the PSAP, Table "B" below illustrates an acceptable interconnection method. In this interconnection method BOTH a pANI (ESRD) and the CBN (aka: MDN) are sent in the SS7/ISUP IAM directly from the WSPs MSC over dedicated trunks into the BellSouth NDET. The pANI is used by the NDET for selective routing, and then the CBN and the pANI are sent to the PSAP using Enhanced MF signaling (E-MF). This is of course dependant on the ability of the PSAP CPE to receive and utilize E-MF. As of 3Q2003 no PSAPs in BellSouth's E9-1-1 service area are using E-MF, but many may migrate toward it beginning in 4Q2003 or 1Q2004.

When using this interconnection method the NCAS Solution provider might still create a record in the BellSouth the ALI database containing the pANI &/or the CBN (among other data normally included by the NCAS provider, which may or may not also include Phase 2 data). That is beyond the scope of this document.

See Table "B" below.

See prior page for an explanation of when this type of interconnection is acceptable.

NDET uses signaling option WRLS_STD, because MSC can support GDP)

Extracted in part from J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2, but clarified for use in BellSouth

Table "B" ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for Phase 2 NCAS.

In this mode both an ESRD and the MDN are sent in the IAM, assuming that the trunk between the Selective Router and the PSAP supports transport of at least two 7/10-digit numbers.

NOTE:

This 20 digit solution can be used between the MSC and the NDET even if the PSAP is not capable of receiving 20 digits from the NDET. This is accomplished by using the BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1 Solution (WLS911), a Hybrid architecture functional in both Phase 1 and Phase 2 environments. WSPs should see

their BellSouth account team for details on how the WLS911 Solution may be of value in their overall architecture plans.

Orreq Parameters	UP Parameters	Value
Digits(Dialed)	Called party number (see Note 1 below)	911
MDN (aka: CBN)	Calling party number (see Note 3 below)	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback
DMH_BillingDigits	Charge Number (see Note 3 below)	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback (see Note 3 below)
GenericDigits	Generic digits parameter (see Note 2 below)	ESRD
GeographicPosition	Calling geodetic location	n/a
n/a	Originating Line Information (OLI)	If included, use value 61 OR 62

NOTES:

1. 911 is used as the Called party number. In BellSouth the MSC MUST use dedicated trunks to the Emergency Services Network Entity (ESNE) to route the Emergency Services Call (ESC).
2. The Type of Digits field within the Generic Digits Parameter should be set to 01101 (decimal 13) to indicate Location Identification Number .
3. The Calling Party Number MUST be included in the IAM message. The Charge Number may also be included in the IAM, but if so it MUST be the SAME as the Calling Party Number. Although Charge Number Parameter is allowed as an optional parameter, it is ignored by the NDET when using either of the WRLS_XXX signaling options.

A.8.3 ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for NCAS (NDET uses signaling option WRLS_CLD because MSC cannot support GDP)

As this signaling option's name implies, this should only be used on trunks handling wireless traffic exclusively. This type of signaling (WRLS_CLD) looks for the pANI in the Called Party Number parameter rather than the Generic Digits Parameter. It uses the Calling Party Number parameter as the callback number. Signaling type WRLS_CLD assumes the Called Party Number is always the pANI. **This signaling option (WRLS_CLD) IS NOT TO BE USED IF WIRELINE COMPATIBILITY MODE IS DESIRED (use E911_STD instead).** The need to use WRLS_CLD is assumed to be the result of a situation where the WSP's MSC switch cannot support a GDP parameter. In that case the pANI would appear in the Called Party Number parameter, as long as WCM is NOT desired.

WARNING

If an MSC switch can support a GDP, and if Wireline Compatibility Mode is NOT desired, then the GDP is the recommended place to put the pANI.

If the WSP will be using a Non Callpath Associated Signaling (NCAS) Solution (as described in J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2) that intends to deliver the Call Back Number (CBN) and the pANI to the PSAP via the trunk between the Selective Router and the PSAP, Table "C" below illustrates an acceptable interconnection method. In this interconnection method BOTH a pANI (ESRD) and the CBN (aka: MDN) are sent in the SS7/ISUP IAM **directly** from the WSPs MSC **over dedicated trunks** into the BellSouth NDET. The pANI is used by the NDET for selective routing, and then the CBN and the pANI are sent to the PSAP using Enhanced MF signaling (E-MF). This is of course dependant on the ability of the PSAP CPE to receive and utilize E-MF. As of 3Q2003 no PSAPs in BellSouth's E9-1-1 service area are using E-MF, but many may migrate toward it beginning in 4Q2003 or 1Q2004.

When using this interconnection method the NCAS Solution provider might still create a record in the BellSouth the ALI database containing the pANI &/or the CBN (among other data normally included by the NCAS provider, which may or may not also include Phase 2 data). That is beyond the scope of this document.

See Table "C" below.

See prior page for an explanation of when this type of interconnection is acceptable. (NDET uses signaling option WRLS_CLD because MSC cannot support GDP).

Extracted in part from J-STD-036-A, Annex-D, Section D.1.2, but clarified for use in BellSouth

Table "C" ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for Phase 2 NCAS

In this mode both an ESRD and the MDN are sent in the IAM, assuming that the trunk between the Selective Router and the PSAP supports transport of at least two 7/10-digit numbers.

NOTE:

This 20 digit solution can be used between the MSC and the NDET even if the PSAP is not capable of receiving 20 digits from the NDET. This is accomplished by using the BellSouth Wireless E9-1-1 Solution (WLS911), a Hybrid architecture functional in both Phase 1 and Phase 2 environments. WSPs should see their BellSouth account team for details on how the WLS911 Solution may be of value in their overall architecture plans.

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Orreq Parameters	ISUP Parameters	Value
Digits(Dialed)	Called party number (see Note 1 below)	pANI (see Note 1 below)
MDN (aka: CBN)	Calling party number (see Note 3 below)	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback
DMH_BillingDigits	Charge Number (see Note 3 below)	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback (see Note 3 below)
GenericDigits	Generic digits parameter (see Note 2 below)	NOT ALLOWED (see Note 2 below)
GeographicPosition	Calling geodetic location	n/a
n/a	Originating Line Information (OLI)	If included, use value 61 OR 62

NOTES:

1. The pANI is used as the Called party number. In BellSouth the MSC MUST use dedicated trunks to the Emergency Services Network Entity (ESNE) to route the Emergency Services Call (ESC).
2. The Generic Digits Parameter IS NOT ALLOWED TO BE SENT IN THE IAM WHEN USING WRLS_CLD!
3. The Calling Party Number MUST be included in the IAM message. The Charge Number may also be included in the IAM, but if so it MUST be the SAME as the Calling Party Number. Although Charge Number Parameter is allowed as an optional parameter, it is ignored by the NDET when using either of the WRLS_xxx signaling options.

A.8.4 ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for CAS

There are no ISDN PSAPs in the BellSouth E9-1-1 serving area. Therefore the interconnection arrangement shown in Table "D" below **IS NOT SUPPORTED**.
Shown here for reference ONLY.

WARNING

This IS NOT SUPPORTED in BellSouth.

Extracted in part from Annex D: of J-STD-036-A

Table "D" ISUP Initial Address Message Parameter Contents for CAS.

In this mode the initial position of the mobile is also sent in the IAM.

Orreq Parameters	ISUP Parameters	Value
Digits(Dialed)	Called party number	(911) or PSAP DN (see Note 1 below) or ESRD
MDN	Calling party number	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback
DMH_BillingDigits	Charge Number (see Note 3 below)	CBN or the non-dialable number used in lieu of a real callback
GenericDigits	Generic digits parameter (see Note 2 below)	ESRD
GeographicPosition	Calling geodetic location	geographic position (x, y)
n/a	Originating Line Information (OLI)	If included, use value 61 OR 62

NOTES:

1. 911 is used as the Called party number if the MSC uses dedicated trunks to the Emergency Services Network Entity (ESNE) to route the Emergency Services Call (ESC). The directory number of the PSAP is used as the called party number if the MSC uses a shared trunk to route the ESC to the ESNE. The ESRD may be used on dedicated trunks that do not support the ISUP Generic Digits parameter.
2. The Type of Digits field within the Generic Digits Parameter (IF USED) should be set to indicate Location Identification Number. GDP MUST NOT BE SENT IF WRLS_CLD signaling option is used at the NDET.
3. The Charge Number, Calling Party Number or both may be included in the IAM message. Although Charge Number Parameter is allowed as an optional parameter, it is ignored by the NDET when using either of the WRLS_XXX signaling options.

WARNING

Remember, Phase 2 CAS IS NOT SUPPORTED in BellSouth!

A.9 Cross Reference Tables to NENA TID 05-501 - SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity.

The intention of this section is to provide a way for a WSP to assess which type of BellSouth supported SS7/ISUP signaling option can best fit their needs. Each decision MUST take into account the capability of the WSPs MSC and the capability of the PSAP CPE, and may be impacted by the type of ALI steering options involved.

Each of the following pages in this section represents a different interconnection scenario that is described in NENA TID 05-501- SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity.

A.9.1 Call Scenario 1: ESRK Delivery

Call Scenario 1 describes the mode where an MSC uses ISDN User Part (ISUP) protocol to send an ESRK to an E911 selective router. Call Scenario 1 supports the **Wireline Compatibility Mode**¹ described in J-STD-036-A, Annex D, Section D.1.1. Wireless carriers can use Call Scenario 1 to support Phase I and/or Phase II wireless E911 calls. The table below shows the possible alternatives for populating the parameters in the Initial Address Message (IAM).

BellSouth's equivalent of NENA 05-501 Table 4-1 (ESRK Delivery):

ISUP Parameter Option	OLI Wireless	CpCAT Emergency	CdPN	CPN	CHGN	GDP	NDET signaling option	Note(s)
A1	No	Yes	911	ESRK	ESRK	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2
A2	No	Yes	911	ESRK	Blank	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2
A3	No	Yes	911	Blank	ESRK	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2
B1	No	Yes	911	ESRK	ESRK	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2
B2	No	Yes	911	ESRK	Blank	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2
B3	No	Yes	911	Blank	ESRK	Blank	E911_STD (WCM)	1, 2

NOTES:

1. This ISUP parameter option is widely supported in the U.S. It is estimated that 95% of the E911 selective routers deployed in the U.S. support this option when the selective router has been equipped with wireless E911 features.
2. "Blank"-- this parameter **MUST NOT** be populated.

A.9.2 8.2 Call Scenario 2: CBN and ESRD Delivery

Call Scenario 2 describes the mode where a MSC uses ISUP protocol to send the caller's CBN and ESRD to an E911 selective router. Call Scenario 2 supports the **Phase 2 NCAS**² mode described in J-STD-036-A, Annex D, Section D.1.2. Wireless carriers can use Call Scenario 2 to support Phase I and/or Phase II wireless E911 calls. The table below shows the possible alternatives for populating the parameters in the Initial Address Message (IAM).

1 J-STD-036 uses the term "Wireline Compatibility Mode" to describe scenarios where MSCs use the ISUP parameter mappings normally used by landline switches to signal E911 calls to E911 selective routers.
 2 J-STD-036 uses the term NCAS to describe scenarios where an MSC uses ISUP protocol to send CBN and ESRD to an E911 selective router.

BellSouth's equivalent of NENA 05-501 Table 4-2 (CBN & ESRD Delivery):

ISUP Parameter Option	OLI Wireless	CpCAT Emergency	CdPN	CPN	CHGN	GDP	NDET signaling option	Note(s)
A1	Yes	Yes	911	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	1
A2	Yes	Yes	911	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	1
A3	Yes	Yes	911	Blank	CBN	ESRD	E911_STD	1
B1	Yes	No	911	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
B2	Yes	No	911	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
B3	Yes	No	911	Blank	CBN	ESRD	E911_STD	3
C1	No	Yes	911	jCBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
C2	No	Yes	911	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
C3	No	Yes	911	Blank	CBN	ESRD	E911_STD	3
D1	No	No	911	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
D2	No	No	911	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
D3	No	No	911	Blk	CBN	ESRD	E911_STD	3
E1	Yes	Yes	ESRD	CBN	CBN	Blank	WRLS_CLD	1, 2
E2	Yes	Yes	ESRD	CBN	Blank	Blank	WRLS_CLD	1, 2
F1	Yes	No	ESRD	CBN	CBN	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
F2	Yes	No	ESRD	CBN	Blank	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
G1	No	Yes	ESRD	CBN	CBN	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
G2	No	Yes	ESRD	CBN	Blank	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
H1	No	No	ESRD	CBN	CBN	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
H2	No	No	ESRD	CBN	Blank	Blank	WRLS_CLD	2, 3
I1	Yes	Yes	WSRD	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	1
I2	Yes	Yes	ESRD	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	1
I3	Yes	Yes	ESRD	Blank	CBN	ESRD	not supported	3
J1	Yes	No	ESRD	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
J2	Yes	No	ESRD	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
K1	No	Yes	ESRD	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3

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ISUP Parameter Option	OLI Wireless	CpCAT Emergency	CdPN	CPN	CHGN	GDP	NDET signaling option	Note(s)
K2	No	Yes	ESRD	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
L1	No	No	ESRD	CBN	CBN	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3
L2	No	No	ESRD	CBN	Blank	ESRD	WRLS_STD	3

NOTES:

1. This ISUP parameter option is widely supported in the U.S. It is estimated that 95% of the E9-1-1 selective routers deployed in the U.S. support this option when the selective router has been equipped with wireless E9-1-1 features.
2. "Blank"-- this parameter **MUST NOT** be populated.
3. This ISUP parameter option is available in some areas. It is estimated that 50% of the E9-1-1 selective routers deployed in the U.S. support this option when the selective router has been equipped with wireless E9-1-1 features.

A.10 Attachment "A" - CPCat & OLI Notes

A.10.1 Calling Party Category parameter (CPC):

Prior to NA013 the Nortel DMS E9-1-1 Tandem (NDET) did not set or reference the CPC parameter in the IAM of ISUP calls for E9-1-1 purposes.

In NA013, feature 59006371 entitled "E9-1-1 ISUP Enhancements" implemented setting the CPC parameter in the outgoing IAM of ISUP E9-1-1 calls to "Emergency Service Call" which is a value of #E0. This was to fulfill Telcordia standards. Even though the NDET began setting the CPC parameter, the logic still did not require this value to be set to recognize E9-1-1 calls.

In NA016, feature 59029627 entitled "E9-1-1 ISUP and Log Enhancements" introduced a new Boolean sub field named DEDICATD for the E9-1-1 option on ISUP IT trunks incoming to the tandem. If this Boolean value is set to Y, the NDET assumes the trunk is dedicated to E9-1-1 traffic and the NDET does not check the CPC parameter. If the DEDICATD Boolean is set to N, the NDET assumes the trunk is being shared for both E9-1-1 and non-E9-1-1 traffic, and the NDET checks the CPC parameter to identify E9-1-1 calls.

A.10.2 Originating Line Parameter (OLI):

Prior to NA013 the Nortel DMS E9-1-1 Tandem did not set or reference the OLI parameter in the IAM of ISUP calls for E9-1-1 purposes.

In NA013, Nortel feature 59006371 entitled "E9-1-1 ISUP Enhancements" implemented setting the OLI parameter in the outgoing IAM for wireless E9-1-1 calls to "Cellular Services Type 1" (#3D) if the originating office did not send the parameter. If the originating office sends the parameter, the NDET does

not modify it, it simply passes whatever value it receives. Once again, the NDET sets this value, but as of NA013 does not use it to identify wireless calls.

In NA016, the NDET began checking the OLI parameter on wireless E9-1-1 calls ONLY when using AIN Selective routing. If the received value was #3d, #3e, or #3f (61, 62, 63), the ChargePtyStationType was set accordingly in the TCAP TAT message to the remote database. If the originating wireless office did not send the parameter, the NDET set the ChargePtyStationType to #3d (61) so the remote database knows to use the correct parameter to perform Selective Routing. Other than when using AIN Selective routing, the OLI parameter is not used for E9-1-1 purposes. If BellSouth NDET is running software NA016 or higher and IF AIN OFF-BOARD SELECTIVE ROUTING IS BEING USED by the NDET, BellSouth will require the WSP to provide the OLI parameter as defined in this document.

A.11 Attachment "B" - Wireless Customer Questions & Answers:

A.11.1 Why is BellSouth issuing this document?

There have been conflicting views on the meaning of the terms "CAS" and "NCAS" in the Phase 2 environment, and on what data should be placed in the various IAM parameters of an SS7 wireless call. NENA recognized this conflict and established a committee that included members from the wireless carriers, service providers, and public safety community. They created the "NENA 05-501 Technical Information Document on SS7 Guidelines for MSC to Selective Router Connectivity" document so that 9-1-1 Service System Providers could clearly define the call setup methods supported in their respective networks. BellSouth is documenting our supported interconnection guidelines through the perspective of the NENA document so that all wireless carriers and switch providers see the requirements in a consistent and uniform method.

A.11.2 Do I have to change my existing trunks to SS7?

No, this is an additional signaling option. As a WSP you should determine if it fits your needs. If you choose to do so, BellSouth will utilize the same basic process that you currently use when ordering E9-1-1 trunks. This document is merely a tool to clarify the interconnection requirements for wireless E9-1-1 service if you intend to utilize SS7 signaling.

A.11.3 Will this let me deliver ESRDs/ESRKs from more than one NPA on the SS7 trunk group?

SS7 signaling does allow multiple NPAs to be delivered over a common trunk group. BUT, this may be dependent on how default routing is defined.

A.11.4 Will this let me reduce the number of trunk groups I have in place?

Separate trunk groups may still be required dependent on how default routing is defined, and/or dependent on congestion control needs.

A.11.5 What if I don't have SS7 signaling "A" link connectivity to support trunking to the appropriate NDET?

You can order it through your normal BellSouth circuit ordering procedures. See BellSouth TR 73554 Issue D, December 2002 (or later), BST GUIDELINES TO TECHNICAL PUBLICATION GR-905-CORE for details on the interfaces required to interconnect out-of-band Common Channel Signaling (CCS) networks that utilize the Signaling System Number 7 (SS7) protocol provided by a different CCS Network.

A.11.6 What do I do for Continuity Testing on these SS7 trunks?

BellSouth encourages the use of continuity testing for 911 trunks using SS7 signaling, with the testing rate of 100%. We also recommend the use of continuity tone levels of Transmit High - Receive High for 4 wire or digital switches (i.e., 4W4W (5ESS), THRH (DMS-100), etc.). We have no provisions to deviate from the national standards of THRH if digital, and TLRH if the MSC is a 2-wire analog switch, which isn't likely today. If you need any other continuity test, please let your account team know so that it can be provisioned separately.

A.12 11.0 Attachment "C" - Wireless Customer Checklist

Wireless Customer Checklist (in no particular order):

- Does the MSC have SS7 signaling link connectivity to support trunking to the appropriate NDET?
- Do we know what call scenario we plan to follow? (i.e. WCM or NCAS WITH the BellSouth hybrid functionality, etc.)
- Do we know what trunk continuity test levels, and testing percentages that we plan to use? (BellSouth encourages that the percentage be 100%.) Remember, BellSouth has no provisions to deviate from the national standards of THRH if digital, and TLRH if the MSC is a 2-wire analog switch, which isn't likely today.
- Do we know what TCICs we're going to use?
- Are the proper Destination and Originating Point Codes identified for the new trunk group(s)?
- Is this group properly ordered as 1-Way, outgoing from the MSC, SS7, with the Mobile Carrier office as the "A" end, and the BellSouth office as the "Z" end?
- Do we have a testing method to generate a call on the SS7 E9-1-1 group, and a written Call Through Test Plan to ensure these trunks are working correctly **BEFORE** we put live wireless E9-1-1 service on them?

NOTE: This list is NOT intended to be all inclusive of the steps necessary to deploy wireless E9-1-1 service using SS7 signaling.

NOTE: Specific information regarding BellSouth's point codes may be obtained from each carrier's BellSouth's account team when orders are being placed for SS7 controlled trunk groups.

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